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LAND POLICY FAILS TO GET SUPPORT AT FIRST SUBMISSION

Council Divided on Merit of Revising Land Prices To Induce Home Construction — Opponents Claim Depreciation Created — Supporters Point to Increased Revenue and Lower Taxes

THE lands committee, last night, lost its first skirmish with the City Council to secure adoption of a vigorous land sales policy, when on a vote of seven to four the council referred the committee's list of recommendations to the estimates committee.

This means deferring consideration until the Spring, and consequently shortens the period in which the committee could conduct its campaign to encourage home-building in the city.

The committee recommended a new price list of city-reverted lands be made, and that $1,200 be set aside for making the revision and also for advertising, not only choice buys, but the advantages of living in the city, from a reduced cost point of view.

OPENS DEBATE

Mayor David Leeming opened the debate by declaring that these recommendations opened up the question whether the city was going to uphold its assessments, or knock them down.

Selling property at a reduced price only depreciated the value of adjacent property, Alderman Walter Luney contended.

"Not if you build on the lot," Alderman James Adam interjected.

Alderman R. A. C. Dewar, chairman of the lands committee, said he

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DEFENDS THREE NEW MEASURES

Counsel Says Social Legislation Based on Conventions Is Constitutional

OTTAWA, Jan. 23 (CP).—The Supreme Court ventured into the rarified atmosphere of international law today when N. M. Rowell, Dominion counsel, began laying the constitutional background for three Federal statutes based on agreements from the International Labor Office at Geneva.

Although the provinces, who argue that the three laws are unconstitutional, may dispute his law, Mr. Rowell, a veteran parliamentarian and former Cabinet minister, gave his opinion today that the Canadian Parliament need not ratify a treaty to make it binding on the country. He claimed that under the constitution as amended by the 1926 Imperial Conference, an order-in-council was all that was necessary to ratify a treaty or international agreement.

BASED ON CONVENTION

The three statutes established minimum wages, the forty-eight-hour industrial week and one day's rest in seven. Each was based on a Geneva convention and the claim of the Dominion that it has exclusive power under Section 132 of the British North America Act to implement treaty obligations. Although the Dominion counsel said it was unnecessary, each of the three conventions were ratified by Parliament before the statutes were passed.

The veteran counsel took the whole day to lay the foundations for his legal argument, which is expected to last all day tomorrow.

Border Clash Is Reported In Mongolia

MOSCOW, Jan. 23 (AP).—Another clash on the frontier between Outer Mongolia and Manchukuo was reported tonight in Soviet news dispatches from Ulan Bator (Urga), Outer Mongolia.

A detachment of Japanese and Manchukuan soldiers was said to have been driven back into Manchukuo after attacking a Mongolian border post. One Manchukuan soldier was reported killed, and two Mongolian border guards were said to have been captured by the Japanese and Manchukuan troops and taken into Manchukuo.

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B.C. LUMBER EXPORT FIRM

Empire Business Steady in 1935 With Gains on Atlantic Coast

British Columbia held its waterborne lumber exports in 1935, and made material advances in shipments to the Atlantic seaboard, lumber inspection figures reported to the Province disclosed yesterday. Total exports exclusive of rail-haul were 935,151,982 board feet, of which 853,978,481 feet were in sawn lumber, and 81,173,501 feet in certified logs and bolts.

Atlantic coast shipments recovered from less than 500,000 feet in 1934, to orders for 39,676,619 feet in 1935. Japanese shipments on the other hand fell off from 80,278,000 feet to 43,079,000 feet, striking an even balance in the trade. December exports were 63,913,075 feet, exclusive of 3,319,184 feet sent in domestic channels.

EMPIRE BUYING WELL

Great Britain increased purchases during the year fractionally, taking 455,861,000 feet. Australia was next with 129,500,000 feet; China, 91,230,000 feet; Japan, 43,079,000 feet; the Atlantic seaboard, 39,676,619 feet; South Africa, 28,350,000 feet; Egypt, 4,216,000 feet; West Indies, 7,132,000 feet; South Sea Islands, 4,555,000 feet; New Zealand, 3,783,000 feet; India, 3,414,000 feet; Central America, 4,472,000 feet, and west coast of South America, 3,783,000 feet. Some smaller lots went to numerous other world destinations.

Data for distribution of trade by rail was not obtainable, but moderate gains in Eastern Canada, improvement at Prairie points, and a decided pick-up in British Columbia itself were suggested in year-end reports.

SEVEN IN ONE FAMILY SLAIN

Demented Man Turns Gun On Self After Killing Wife And Children

DANVILLE, Ill., Jan. 23 (AP).—The seven members of the William A. Albers family were found shot and bludgeoned to death today in a flaming farm home.

A posse of Edgar County officials and residents who trudged to the snowbound house in 20 below zero weather made the gruesome discovery. A hasty reconstruction of the tragedy led them to believe that Albers had killed his wife and five children in a demented rampage a week or ten days ago, and had lived in the grisly household until investigators approached today.

SLAIN IN THEIR SLEEP

Apparently the woman, four boys and a girl—all clad in nightgowns—had been slain in their sleep.

It was the absence of two Albers children from Sidell High School that led to the formation of the posse.

Albers raced into his house as they approached. A shot was heard as officials broke in through the boarded windows.

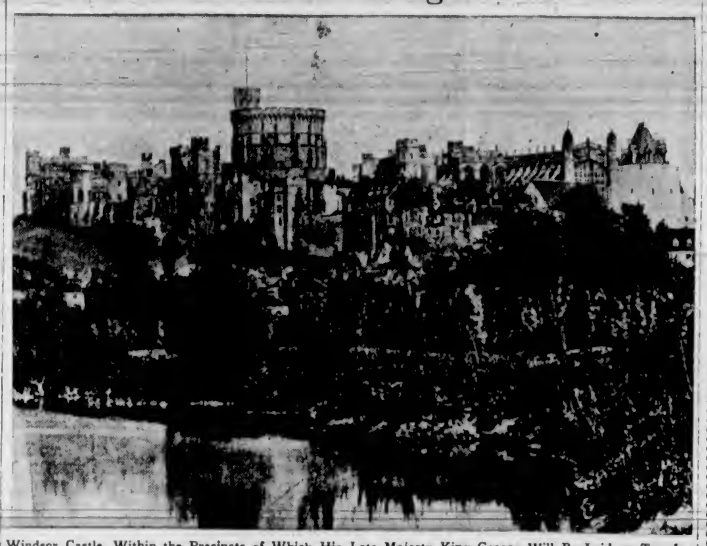
TWO PERISH IN FIRE AT OTTAWA

OTTAWA, Jan. 24 (CP). — Mrs. Thomas Gladman, forty, and her crippled daughter, Gwen, aged twenty, were burned to death when fire of unknown causes destroyed their home at Eastview shortly before midnight. The fire consumed a row of six frame houses on Palace Street and an adjoining structure.

Another daughter, Helen Gladman, sixteen-year-old high school student, was severely burned and taken to hospital.

Forty-six persons, comprised of eight families, were made homeless by the blaze. They made their way out of the flaming tenements in scanty night attire, and in sub-zero weather.

Residence of British Kings for Centuries



Windsor Castle, Within the Precincts of Which His Late Majesty King George Will Be Laid on Tuesday to Rest With His Ancestors.

COLD WAVE IN THIRTEEN STATES BLAMED FOR SCORES OF DEATHS

The King Expresses Appreciation For Sympathy of Canadians

OTTAWA, Jan. 23 (CP).—King Edward today expressed appreciation for the sympathy and good wishes of the Canadian people in a message to Prime Minister Mackenzie King. The message follows:

"Prime Minister, Ottawa, Ontario:

"Please accept my heartfelt thanks for your message of sympathy. Throughout his life my beloved father had the welfare of the Canadian people at heart, and it is a source of comfort to me to know that they are thinking of me in my great sorrow and wishing me well in the future.

"Edward R. I."

On the day of the Late King's death, Mr. Mackenzie King sent Edward a message of sympathy on behalf of the Government and people of Canada.

Federal Government Approves Plans for Bridge Over Fraser

Approval Conditional to Lift Span Being Installed In Present Structure or Removal of Traffic Deck by Province

OTTAWA, Jan. 23 (CP).—A new bridge with a central span 450 feet wide clearing freshet level of the Fraser River by 146 feet will be built at New Westminster if the British Columbia Government proceeds with the work. The Dominion Government has approved plans for the project, it was announced today by Hon. P. J. Cardin, Minister of Public Works.

The plans were submitted to the Dominion Government for approval as required under the Navigable Waters Protection Act. The Fraser being a navigable stream, plans for a bridge spanning it must be examined by the Dominion and approved by Federal engineers.

The present traffic and railway bridge across the Fraser at New Westminster has become obsolete, it was stated. Its width is only fourteen feet, and it has a central span which swings to let boats pass through.

The new structure will be fixed but the high vertical clesrance will permit vessels to pass under. The proposed cost of the new bridge is about $3,500,000, it is understood.

Only foot passengers and vehicular traffic will cross the new bridge. The present bridge carries, in addition, trains of the Canadian National system moving to and from Vancouver.

APPROVAL CONDITIONAL

Approval of the plans by the Dominion is conditional. It is stipulated the Province must undertake to install in the present bridge, in-

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DEATH CLAIMS FAMOUS SINGER

Dame Clara Butt Passes Away in England After Long Suffering

LONDON, Jan. 23 (CP-Havas).—Dame Clara Butt, world-famous singer, known as "the Caruso of contraltos," died today at her home in North Stoke, Oxfordshire, aged sixty-two years, after suffering five years from a spinal malady following an accident.

She studied singing at Bristol and then at the London Royal College of Music. She later took courses in Paris, even after she became a prima donna.

During the war, Dame Butt raised large sums for aiding the wounded and for musicians suffering from the war's effects.

RAISED LARGE SUM

She raised $45,000 at a single concert in Albert Hall in May, 1916, for the British Red Cross.

After an accident in 1931 she was unable to stand and had to sing sitting down at the rare concerts she gave.

In 1900 she married Kennerly Rumford, himself a noted singer. They had one daughter, Mrs. Cross.

WARM IN ARGENTINA

BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 23 (AP).—Residents of Buenos Aires, after sweltering much of the day, were rescued from the heat by a sudden shower early tonight. The thermometer reached 94 degrees at 4 p.m., but fell to 68 under the cooling rain.

Reporters Sent Away From Front

ASMARA, Eritrea, Jan. 23 (AP).—Heavy fighting on the Ethiopian northern front caused Italian authorities to halt a tour by newspaper correspondents today.

The reporters, en route to the front lines, suddenly were ordered to Asmara after passing Adigrat.

Adigrat is about fifteen miles inside the Ethiopian border and about fifty-five miles north of Makale, the important point to which the Italians' second major offensive reached early in the war.

Sub-Zero Weather Causes Much Suffering on Both Sides of Border

BLIZZARD SWEEPS ACROSS PRAIRIES

CHICAGO, Jan. 23 (AP). — Cold kept its capital in the frost-bound Midwest tonight, but extended its sub-zero wave to the Atlantic Ocean.

As the mercury climbed from lows that set new all-time marks in many sections of the plain and Northern border states, readings started a dip in the East, with New York experiencing the most frigid January 23 in its history and Boston preparing for 10 below during the night.

Thirteen states counted one or more fatalities from exposure or causes directly attributable to the most rigorous cold wave in years. The total from the country mounted to seventy-seven.

COLD WAVE WIDESPREAD

In the 25 to 52 degree below range were Minnesota, Wisconsin, and parts of Ohio, Pennsylvania and West Virginia. Parts of New York State, Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Missouri, Eastern Kansas, Nebraska and the Dakotas saw readings of 10 to 20 below zero.

The weather had its local drama in nearly every community. A baby was born in a snowbound car at Brookport, N.Y. Frozen trolley brakes forced commuters to hitchhike in zero temperatures at Marietta, Ga., an Atlanta suburb.

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ALTERATION IS NOT UNLIKELY

King Edward's Expressed Wishes May Modify Proclamation of Mourning

OTTAWA, Jan. 23 (CP).—Canada's proclamation of a day of mourning next Tuesday may be modified in the light of King Edward's expressed wishes that "everyone should mark the solemnity of the occasion in such manner as each may think proper and according to the circumstances he finds himself in." It was ascertained tonight that the Government, having regard to the King's wishes, will reconsider the matter tomorrow.

ALTERATION PROBABLE

The question of making the day of King George's funeral a day of national mourning was decided on three days ago when the Government reviewed the precedents established at the time of the death of King Edward VII. However, tonight's announcement from London, indicating the King does not wish to cause widespread disruption of business, has made it probable that another proclamation may emerge from tomorrow's meeting of the Cabinet.

NOT YET DECIDED

The dispatch from London says: Two minutes of silence has been suggested during the funeral service at Windsor, but this has not been decided upon, nor the time of the service officially announced. It is learned that during the period of national mourning only essential business meetings should be held and all social functions should be cancelled.

After the funeral all business will resume its natural course and the question of social functions is to be left to the feelings of all concerned.

Dead King Rests In Solemn State At Historic Hall

Mourning Dress For Late Monarch To Be Voluntary

CLARIFYING the expressed desire from the throne for a period of public mourning, it was explained at Government House yesterday that wearing of mourning dress by the public was entirely voluntary. No suggestion is made for women's street dress, save that bright colors be avoided. For men, black shoes and a black tie are proposed. At unavoidable evening functions where men and women attend in an official public capacity, black dresses and gloves for women and black waistcoats for men are mentioned. Senior officials of the public service observed the custom yesterday, while officers in uniform wore arm bands, both groups being directly under the Crown.

Service Conducted by Archbishop of Canterbury At Ancient Westminster in Scene Reflecting Traditions of Chivalry and Majestic Splendor —Yeomen and Life Guards Holding Watch

Silent Sorrowing Throng Lines Route From Station

LONDON, Jan. 23 (AP).—King Edward VIII stood in silent prayer today before the body of his father, George V, borne in death to lie on a catafalque in state in ancient Westminster Hall. Haggard and apparently weary, he prayed as the body of the Late King was placed on its black and gold resting place amid simple ceremonies, at the end of a 100-mile journey from Sandringham, where His Majesty died peacefully on Monday night.

Tonight stalwart yeomen and household troops, their brilliant uniforms partly hidden by cloaks of sombre black, stood watch over the body as it lay in its oaken coffin beneath the Royal Standard.

Through the night at each of the four corners of the purple-based catafalque was a Life Guard, head bowed and immobile, resting on his sword. A little farther out into the gloom, lit by flickering tapers at the base of the catafalque, stood four Yeomen of the Guard.

THE CROWN OF EMPIRE

Atop the Royal Standard, at one end of the bier, the jewelled Crown of Empire glistened. At the other end, above the head, lay the floral crosses of King Edward and the widowed Queen Mary.

The body will remain until Tuesday in the cold and ancient hall, beneath the high cedar ceiling. Then it will be taken for the last time

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Edward VIII Again Sets Precedent

LONDON, Jan. 23 (AP).—King Edward VIII, the first British sovereign to fly by airplane, created another precedent today.

His message to Parliament, in which he said: "I am resolved to follow in the way he (King George V) has set before me," was framed in the first person.

Hitherto such messages have been in the third person; for instance, the message from the late King George when he acceded in 1910: "The King knows," etc.

IS PROGRESSING WITH MINISTRY

Senator Albert Sarraut Is Forming New French Government

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PARIS, Jan. 24.—Senator Albert Sarraut early today appeared almost certain to head France's new Government, replacing the Cabinet of Pierre Laval.

The last major obstacle still confronting Senator Sarraut when he ended his political talks was the Ministry of Justice, when Deputy Georges Pernot had not accepted definitely.

The Radical-Socialists announced they would support M. Sarraut only if he would try to carry out his three-point programme:

1. Maintenance of the current parity of the franc.
2. Defence of the Republic against Fascist threats.
3. Reform of French foreign policy keeping it within the framework of the League of Nations.

HAS LUCKY ESCAPE

LINDSAY, Ont., Jan. 23 (CP). — Stripped of his clothing and whirled around in the shafting of a lumber mill at Burnt River, forty miles north of here, until he was nearly unconscious, John Rettie escaped almost unharmed today.

WORLD PEACE ENDANGERED

Soviet Russia's Delegate Makes Charge Against Three Nations

GENEVA, Jan. 23 (AP). — Bitter debate broke out in the "Family of Nations" today when Soviet Russia's delegate charged by implication before the League council that Japan, Germany and Italy have policies of aggression constituting "the utmost danger to world peace."

Maxim Litvinoff, Moscow's Commissar for Foreign Affairs, made the attack upon the three.

LEFT WITH COMMITTEE

He was discussing the Soviet's appeal to the League against Uruguay's recent action in breaking off diplomatic relations with her. This dispute was virtually postponed until the May meeting of the council, when a committee composed of Titulescu of Rumania, De Madariaga of Spain, and Munch of Denmark, was appointed to investigate the possibility of conciliation.

Neither Japan nor Germany is a member of the League, but the Uruguayan and Italian delegates were quick to reply heatedly.

For the first time since shortly after the war began, the Italian delegate, Baron Pompeo Aloisi, remained in his seat at the council table when representatives of Ethiopia were present.

Baron Aloisi was present but did not vote when the council approved a committee report rejecting Ethiopia's appeal for financial aid and a commission of inquiry in the war zone.

ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING FOLLOWS ROBBERY

BOSTON, Jan. 23 (AP). — Three men robbed a United Drug Company paymaster of $18,000 today on the fourth floor of the company's building in the Roxbury section of Boston and escaped in an automobile.

A girl employee at the plant was wounded after the robbery when a police rifle was discharged accidentally.

CITY COUNCIL ENDORSES PLAN

Scheme to Improve Waterfront Advanced by Ald. Edward Williams

The City Council last night embarked on an extended beautification programme for the waterfront, on the suggestion of Alderman Edward Williams, who advanced two proposals which were endorsed. Alderman Archie Wills reminded the council that Hon. John Hart had given some encouragement of Government assistance in a beautification programme, and suggested the city make representation to the Government, through Mr. Hart, with a view to securing an appropriation in this year's Provincial budget.

Alderman Williams said if the council would authorize the expenditure of $500 from the $100,000 loan from the Provincial Government toward the cost of material, he would raise a further $500 through public subscription to make it possible to construct a glass-enclosed observation pavilion on top of Beacon Hill. The work will be done by relief. The council authorized the expenditure and the alderman promised completion of the pavilion in time for official opening on May 24.

TO DRAFT PLANS

His other proposal was for the drawing up of a definite plan of beautifying the southern slope of Beacon Hill Park, and ultimately stretching out farther toward the Breakwater and also toward Clover Point.

His recommendation that the chairmen of the public works, parks and relief committees, together with the engineer and parks superintendent, draw up a plan and report to the council, was adopted.

Rudyard Kipling Is Placed to Rest in Westminster Abbey

Ashes of Great Empire Bard Laid Between Graves Of Charles Dickens and Thomas Hardy— In Poets' Corner

LONDON, Jan. 23 (CP). — The majestic strains of Rudyard Kipling's "Recessional" struck the only note of pomp and splendor when the ashes of the great poet were laid among Britain's immortal writers today in the poet's corner of Westminster Abbey.

A marble urn containing his ashes was lowered into a small, purple-lined cavity between the graves of Charles Dickens and Thomas Hardy.

Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin, a cousin of the poet, and a host of celebrities, including representatives of King Edward and the Duke of York, stood behind Mrs. Kipling during the service.

The service was conducted by the Dean of Westminster, the Very Rev. W. Foxley Norris, and included Kipling's favorite hymn, "Abide With Me," as well as the "Recessional," which he wrote in honor of Queen Victoria.

Pallbearers were Prime Minister Baldwin, Admiral Sir Roger Keyes, Field Marshal Sir Archibald Montgomery-Massingberd, Sir James Barrie, Major-General Sir Fabian Ware, H. A. Gwynne, editor of The Morning Post; A. B. Ramsay and A. S. Watt, the latter Kipling's literary agent.

THREATEN MAYOR AND HIS FAMILY

Saskatoon Police Searching for Senders of Extortion Note to Chief Magistrate

SASKATOON, Jan. 23 (CP).—Police tonight continued their intensive investigation into the extortion note sent to Mayor Pinder demanding $5,000 on pain of death for him and his family. Chief Donald and the members of his detective corps were busy tracing possible clues to the identity of the persons responsible for the note.

The note was received at the Pinder home on Wednesday. It demanded $5,000 by 11 o'clock next Wednesday night and contained threats against the entire Pinder family and a warning against informing police.

Chief Donald said a person convicted of extortion was liable to fourteen years' imprisonment.

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through the streets of the Empire's Capital to the train, which will bear it to Windsor for last rites and burial.

Today's solemn service was in sharp contrast to the vivid and happy ceremonies of last May 9, in the small hall. That was the occasion of King George's Silver Jubilee, when, with Queen Mary, he received the congratulations of his Parliament.

THE GUARD ARRIVES

An hour before the procession was due from King's Cross Station, the King's company of Yeomen of the Guard from the Tower of London arrived to form a part of the guard of honor. Dressed in Tudor uniforms, with beards and ruffled collars, they will watch over the coffin day and night until Tuesday. Then it will be moved to St. George's Chapel, Windsor, for burial.

Even in the hottest part of Summer the vast Westminster Hall is cold, but with the wintry winds of today the building was bitterly cold. The bearded veterans, some of whom had worn The King's uniform in the days of His Late Majesty's youth, were allowed today to wear sweeping cloaks.

AN AUGUST COMPANY

Following the guards there entered the long space before the catafalque pursuivants and heralds costumed in emblazoned tabards, telling of an age of chivalry and splendor long before even the Tudor period. This august company walked very slowly towards the great door where they awaited the cortege.

Meanwhile the Lord Chancellor, in robes of gold with a trainbearer, led in the peers, who lined one side wall four deep. Captain E. A. Fitzroy, Speaker of the House of Commons, simultaneously led the commoners to a like position on the other side of the chamber.

The yeomen around the purple-draped catafalque, with its three steps and four tall surrounding candles, were now reinforced by gentlemen-at-arms with shining helmets surmounted by towering plumes.

AWAITING ARRIVAL

The Archbishop of Canterbury, his primatial cross borne before him, took up station with the Dean of Westminster at the doors to await the arrival of the coffin. On the broad steps at the other end of the chamber stood the combined choirs of the Chapels-Royal. There was not a single chair in the vast building.

The King's body arrived at 2:45 o'clock this afternoon from Sandringham at King's Cross Station, to be brought through streets lined with hundreds of thousands to Westminster Hall.

Behind the gun-carriage which bore the body walked King Edward and his brothers, the Dukes of York, Gloucester and Kent, and his brother-in-law, the Earl of Harewood.

WALKING IN GRIEF

King Edward, his face lined with fatigue and grief, limped increasingly as he strode along. He had walked, the two-and-one-half miles from the Parish Church at Sandringham to the Wolferton Station.

All eyes were on the Imperial Crown, glittering on its purple cushion atop the coffin, studded with 3,000 diamonds and other jewels. But few noted, when the gun-carriage started its journey toward Westminster Hall, that the Maltese Cross surmounting the Crown, set with a valuable Indian stone, worked loose and fell into the street. An officer picked it up and found it damaged.

Just as Big Ben, in its lofty tower above the Thames, boomed the hour of four, the body reached the hall. Eight tall Grenadier Guards lifted the coffin from the gun-carriage and walked with it on their shoulders, slowly, as the entrance doors swung hesitantly open.

TO THE CATAFALQUE

The Archbishop of Canterbury, the Dean of Westminster and high Court and Government officials, all richly garbed, met the body at 4:03 p.m., then turned and led the way toward the catafalque, standing like a tragic isle in the centre of the silent hall.

The Queen Mother, a heavy black veil covering her face, walked firmly and resolutely. Her carriage had followed the body for only a part of the route from the station.

Behind mother and son came the Duke of Gloucester, the Princess Royal and the Duke of York, then the Earl of Harewood and the Duke of Kent.

The procession advanced to the catafalque where the Archbishop of Canterbury turned and began the service.

A SIMPLE SERVICE

The assemblage repeated the Lord's Prayer, the words echoing softly to the famous carved ceiling. The only music was when the choirs sang, unaccompanied, "Praise My Soul, King of Heaven," to the well-known setting of Goss. A Benediction closed the service, which lasted exactly fifteen minutes.

Then with his mother King Edward retraced his steps to the door, followed by the other members of the Royal Family, their footfalls unheard on the thick grey carpet which covered the main part of the stone floor.

Viscount Hailsham, the Lord Chancellor, and Captain Edward Algernon Fitzroy, Speaker of the House of Commons, preceded by mace-bearers, led the Lords and Commoners from their stations along the uncarpeted sides of the hall to the entrance. There they turned and filed past the coffin, returning to their two Houses.

NATIONAL SILENCE

Business had not been asked to close during the Windsor service on Tuesday, but there will be two minutes of national silence shortly after noon on that day, when the service begins.

Along the whole sombre way, down Euston Road and Southampton Row toward Aldwych and the Strand, past the British-American office building, Bush House, to Trafalgar Square, into Whitehall and past the great white stone cenotaph, beneath Big Ben and into the new palace yard entrance to Westminster Hall, rooftops and windows were crammed with a sorrowing, silent throng.

As the funeral train left Sandringham, where King George's body had laid in the ivy-covered Parish Church, the late King's subjects and neighbors surged through police lines in a moving demonstration of grief. Hundreds dashed down the tracks, others climbed rooftops, and all strained their eyes toward the vanishing cars.

During Air Force Review

This Picture of the Late King George V and King Edward VIII During Their Inspection of the Royal Air Force at Mildenhall Airport Recently Is One of the Last Pictures Taken of the Monarch and His Son.

LAND POLICY FAILS TO RECEIVE SUPPORT

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noted Alderman Luney had had a change of heart.

"I would like to see all reverted property taken off the sales list," Alderman Luney replied.

Alderman Dr. J. D. Hunter then advanced a proposal that the city lease its reverted land for a term of ninety-nine years, at an annual rental of 3 per cent of the assessed value, plus taxes.

"I know the land committe wants to place the property back on the tax roll and encourage building, and commend the committee for its efforts in this regard, but it is no good selling land cheap and depreciating real estate values in the city," Alderman Hunter declared.

Alderman Dewar pointed out under the City Act the city could not lease for more than twenty years.

INCREASED REVENUE

"In the last year there was not one property, I believe, that was sold by the city that did not have improvements placed upon it. This meant increased tax revenue to the city. While we may jeopardize, to some small extent, the real estate values by offering inducements to build on city-reverted lots, yet on the other hand by encouraging building we increase our tax revenue and thus help lower taxes, bringing about an appreciation in property values. At the same time every new home adds value to the vacant land adjoining it," he contended.

Mayor Leeming interjected at this point to remind the council that during the past two years the city had taken over 1,000 parcels of land at tax sales.

QUESTIONS CAUSE

"I question very much whether, by placing all city-reverted land on the reserve list, the reversion of properties would have been reduced to any extent whatsoever," Alderman Dewar replied. "These reversions are due entirely to taxation. Many are building in outside municipalities because taxes are lower there. Of course I question their wisdom, because it is my firm opinion that it costs a great deal more than the taxes to live in outside municipalities. Costs of transportation alone add heavily to the bill, but nevertheless, our reversions in the city are due largely because taxation here is higher. If the council wants to take the property off the sales list it's all right with me, but it's up to the council to set the policy," he asserted.

"What value are we placing on our city when we sell these lots cheap?" Mayor Leeming asked.

"I don't know," Alderman Dewar replied, "but I do know that I paid $650 for a lot that I intended to use, but didn't, and was mighty glad to get $250 for it later."

The question of leasing city property was again revived, but the Mayor pointed out it would be impossible to raise a mortgage to construct a home on leased property.

Alderman P. R. Brown then suggested that the matter be referred to the estimates committee so that there could be a thorough discussion on the matter.

FACE PROBLEM

"Often we are confronted with the proposal from prospective purchasers that if we (the city) don't sell them lots at their offer they will build in Saanich or Oak Bay. It seems to me that it is in the city's interest to encourage people to build here. By increasing the field of taxation we lower the burden on every citizen," he pointed out, "and at the same time we increase the value of the remaining vacant land. It becomes more desirable when properties adjacent to it are improved."

Alderman James Adam was in accord with the land committee's recommendation. "If people cannot get lots at a reasonable price they are going outside where they can. We certainly won't sell lots by raising the price. Alderman McGavin has suggested we give them away. . . ."

"If you give lots away you will have the rest of the vacant lands on our hands. Your prices are not reasonable," the Mayor again interjected.

"You get a better price for us then, Mr. Mayor," Alderman Wills retorted.

"STAGNATION"

"You are advocating that we keep stagnant," Alderman McGavin answered the Mayor. "It's you who are talking foolish now. That's what you once told me. When merchants have got goods on their shelves they can't dispose of they hold a sale, and if necessary get rid of the merchandise at even less than cost in order to incur no further depreciation. Alderman Adam informs me that he bought a lot for $2,000 and later had to sell it for $275. He took his loss rather than throw more money after bad," the alderman continued.

Mayor Leeming again added to the debate by pointing out that privately owned vacant land paid into the city's treasury $200,000 a year in taxes. By selling of reverted lots at cheap prices the city would be inviting the reversion of the rest of privately owned vacant land, and a consequent loss of $200,000 of revenue each year.

"Why in the boom times did you not insist upon lots being sold at their assessed values, when prices were three times as high as the assessment?" Alderman Dewar replied. "It's time the council should let the land committee know its policy."

Alderman Luney pointed out the cheaper the lots were sold the lower the city's assessment would be.

"No matter what price the property is sold for the assessment remains the same," Alderman McGavin declared.

Alderman Dewar pointed out that the city's price list on properties had not been revised for ten years.

However, a vote was taken on Alderman Brown's amendment to the motion to adopt the report. The amendment called for sending of the recommendations to the estimates committee. Those voting for the amendment were Mayor Leeming, Aldermen P. R. Brown, T. W. Hawkins, Edward Williams, Stanley Okell, Dr. J. D. Hunter and Walter Luney. Those opposed were Aldermen R. A. C. Dewar, Archie Wills, Andrew McGavin and James Adam.

Still Queen in Court Circular

LONDON, Jan. 23 (AP).—A court circular referred to "the Queen" in describing today's ceremonies for the late King George V. The reference was taken in some quarters tonight as an indication that the widowed Queen Mary will not be known as the Queen Mother.

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VIEWS ARE PRESENTED

Hecklers Enliven Esquimalt Meeting as Candidates Outline Platforms

Hecklers had their field day in Esquimalt last night as retiring members of the Municipal Council, school board and police commission presented their views for re-election. Louis de Costa, Sr., resided and at times had difficulty in controlling the meeting.

Prior to the meeting a period of silence, in respect to His late Majesty King George, was observed. Including Reeve Alex Lockley there were eight speakers.

COUNCILLOR GOING

Councillor P. S. Going, chairman of the works committee, gave a detailed account of his department's expenditures. The estimated cost of administration for 1935 had been cut from $40,000 to $12,800 and the total expenditure was $12,657, he said. However, with savings on the sewer maintenance costs, the administration had ended with a surplus of $1,175. Although relief had not been shown on the estimates, a total of $7,000 had been spent in this connection, he added. Councillor Going said all regular maintenance work had been carried out: Skinners' Flats had been redrained and repaired, and considerable work had been done on roads, sidewalks and municipal-owned parks.

COUNCILLOR HADFIELD

Councillor Thomas Hadfield declared he was standing on his record of fourteen years in municipal service. He reviewed the positions he had held on the council during 1935 and attacked the platform being presented by the Esquimalt Ratepayers' Association candidates. The accusations, that "beer-garden" tactics at council meetings were carried on by retiring councillors, was denied. No camera meetings were held at regular council sessions; monthly payment of taxes was allowed, but tax penalties were charged because of Municipal Act requirements, and attempts to have Federal and Provincial grants restored had been made by the 1935 council, Councillor Hadfield stated.

COUNCILLOR HENRY

Councillor David A. Henry, a member of the finance committee, gave a brief review of the year's financial work. The sum of $8,150 had been taken from the sinking fund surplus and used to cut frontage charges, he said. Meantime, a $5,000 surplus remained in this account. He pointed out that additional grants had been withheld from the municipality during 1935 and the council suffered from loss of revenue from the non-taxable Crown land. He was confident a tax reduction could be made shortly. In the past two years, he said, 170 municipalities had defaulted and "Esquimalt has no cause to complain."

COMMISSIONER BOWDEN

Police Commissioner Sidney R. Bowden gave a statistical review of the police administration. Costs had been lowered by $169 over 1934 and the commission had ended the year with $600 surplus. The police had given efficient service. Commissioner Bowden reported on an asserted "beer parlor fracas" and stated that because no case had been found, the matter had not been taken up with the Liquor Control Board. He was seeking re-election on his past record of "sane and safe police administration."

TRUSTEE WARDER

Trustee A. A. Warder presented the financial statement of the school board and a comparison of figures over the past four years, which showed the school costs had decreased by $21,198 since 1931. The levy for school work had been decreased in the past four years by $11,840. Total grants taken from the board during the same period had been $18,642. Salaries had been cut 15 per cent, he stated. "It is not possible to run our schools any cheaper, if we are to maintain efficiency, despite what the Ratepayers' Association candidates say they will do," he concluded.

TRUSTEE McFARLANE

Trustee Mrs. Jessie McFarlane spoke very briefly. She was in love with school work and earnestly wished to be returned to office to carry on the policy adopted by the 1935 board.

All candidates were subjected to questions.

COUNCILLOR HEALD

When Councillor Albert Heald advanced to speak he stated he was running for police commissioner, but would first reply to charges of graft he said were leveled at him earlier in the year by Councillor Harry Hodgson on bond dealings. After a discussion on bond deals, in which he defended the action of the 1935 council, he was subjected to heckling, and did not speak further and the meeting closed.

HARBOR MATTERS TO BE DISCUSSED

The City Council last night authorized the executive of the public works committee to interview Colonel A. W. R. Wilby, agent for the Dominion Department of Marine in this city, respecting problems of the city along the waterfront.

All matters pertaining to waterfront squatters, garbage nuisance, construction of a new promenade in the Inner Harbor, and the seaplane base, will be placed before Colonel Wilby on his return to the city.

Magistrate (a non-motorist)—The officer has stated that you used bad language when you were stopped.

Motorist—Well, you see, I was in a tantrum at the time.

Magistrate—The make of your car doesn't interest me in the least.

Staff Appointment Made Permanent

Photograph by Gibson.

CYRIL JONES

WHO has been with the city's public works department on a temporary basis for nearly four years, last night was appointed to the permanent staff as assistant city engineer and water commissioner by the City Council.

PROPERTY SALE POLICY IS SET

Land Committee in Future to Handle All Negotiations On City Lots

All negotiations for the sale of city property will be referred, in future, to the lands committee. This was the decision reached by the City Council last night after a heated debate, which resolved around the question of negotiations for the sale of the C.P.S. Lumber Company property.

Mayor David Leeming and Alderman Walter Luney explained that the question of selling the C.P.S mill to at least one group of representatives had not officially come before the city.

"The man came to me and asked about pulp mill matters, and I asked him if he would be interested in buying a sawmill. Surely I am not expected to wait until I get in touch with the land committee in order to try and get persons integrested in city property," the Mayor declared.

Alderman Dewar and Alderman McGavin said they knew nothing about the negotiations that were going on, and they felt, as members of the land committee, they were entitled to know.

Alderman T. W. Hawkins explained that he had suggested to the man that he put in an offer. A certain amount was mentioned. At this stage of the remarks, the Mayor interjected, and said that these matters were not for public discussion. However, Alderman Hawkins said that a severe illness had been the cause of the man's delay in making an offer.

When the vote was put the land committee was sustained in its recommendation that all negotiations be referred to that body.

PRINCES COMING TO THE FUNERAL

DOORN, The Netherlands, Jan. 23 (AP).—Prince Friedrich of Prussia, youngest son of former Crown Prince Friedrich Wilhelm and a godson of the late King George, will represent former Kaiser Wilhelm at the funeral next Tuesday, it was announced today.

VIENNA, Jan. 23 (CP-Havas).—Prince Ernst von Starhemberg, Vice-Chancellor of Austria, will head the Austrian delegation to the funeral of King George V.

MOSCOW, Jan. 23 (AP). — Communistic Soviet Russia named a delegation to represent her at the funeral of King George.

They were Maxim Litvinoff, Commissar for Foreign Affairs, who is now in Geneva, and Mikhail Tukhachevsky, Vice-Commissar for War and youngest of the Sovet's recently created marshals. The Ambassador to London, Ivan Maiski, also will be in the delegation.

Lives Saved by Loads on Backs

GRANT PASS, Ore., Jan. 23 (AP).—One mule fell six feet and died. Two others fell eighty-five feet and hee-hawed.

Sterling Sloan was driving four of the animals along the mountainous road down the Rogue River.

The first slipped off a small bank and was killed. Two others became frightened and plunged off the cliff. They were laden with mattresses and were uninjured when they landed on their burdens, Sloan declared.

QUARTETTE HAS WARM WELCOME

Hart House Ensemble, With New First Violinist, Plays At Empress

Regarded here more and more as an almost fixed event in the year's musical calendar, the Hart House Quartette recitals have now a practically guaranteed audience in Victoria. An audience of about 450 was at the Empress Hotel last night to welcome these popular musicians on their 1935-36 tour, which, on this occasion, was sponsored by Miss Violet Wilson and the Beaux Arts Society.

Some of the best music in string-quartette literature, both classical and modern, has been performed by this ensemble in these annual concerts, a fact of which Victoria is not unmindful. Like its several predecessors by the same group, last night's programme had great artistic merit and appeal. But interest in last night's concert was undoubtedly quickened owing to the fact that it was the first time the quartette has played in the city since James Levey, late of the London String Quartette, took over the duties of first violin in succession to Geza de Kresz, who recently returned to Budapest to fill an important position at the conservatory there.

In tribute to the late King, the programme opened with the heart-touching Scottish lament, "Flowers of the Forest," played on the mutes and with utmost reverence, and at its close the audience stood and sang, in honor of the new King, the National Anthem.

THE PROGRAMME

There followed, each with its own individual character and beauty, and with almost invariably fine ensemble spirit, the Mozart Quartette in D Minor, No. 13, distinguished by its appealing clarity, preciosity and delicacy; Mendelssohn's "Canzonetta," a "tapestry of bright threads, boldly but daintily woven"; the very beautiful yet half-wistful "Lonely Shepherd" of Joseph Speaight; J. B. McEwen's "Red Murdoch," vivid, fiery, and a great favorite, and the four movements of Beethoven's magnificent Quartette in E Minor (allegro, molto adagio, allegretto and presto), which brought out the bigger resources of the ensemble as none of the preceding numbers could have done. Dignity, orderliness and the pulse of emotion were expressed with musicianly art, many passages strikingly demonstrating the ensemble's well-controlled tone, cleanliness of technique and the infinite refinements of nicety in phrasing, attack, tempo, intonation and rhythm.

For an encore, to everyone's delight, they played the Tschaikowsky "Andante Cantabile," the tone, with the use of mutes, softened to the finest-spun substance. Three fine musicians who have always been with the quartette were, of course, the second violin, H. Arn Adaskin; Milton Blackstone, playing the viola, and Boris Hambourg, the 'cello.

Sneeze Sends Boy To the Hospital

BARRHEAD, Alta., Jan. 23 (AP).—Clark Dilworth, fifteen, sneezed and landed in hospital for an operation. It was performed to remove a five and one-half-inch fountain pen holder which he swallowed when he sneezed. The boy had been holding the holder in his teeth.

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Reeve Lockley Gives Report on Municipal Affairs During Year

Defends Administration in Vigorous Address to Ratepayers of Esquimalt at Municipal Hall Last Night and Replies to His Critics

IN a vigorous address that had the tang of old-time politics, Reeve Alexander Lockley, for two years head of Esquimalt's municipal administration and seeking re-election for a third term, defended the policies of his council at a public meeting held in the Municipal Hall last night.

The meeting, which was addressed by other candidates, was not without its exciting moments, especially when Councillor H. Hodgson, the stormy petrel in Esquimalt's municipal affairs, attempted to address the gathering before the scheduled time for starting. The audience was divided between those who did, and those who did not want to hear Councillor Hodgson, and the matter was finally settled by the arrival of the chairman and the chief of police.

ANSWERS QUESTIONS

At the commencement, Mr. Lockley was subjected to prolonged heckling, but at the close of his speech he had complete command of the situation and was frequently applauded for his answers to questions and charges from individuals in the audience.

First he dealt with the question of reassessment of properties in the municipality. That measure, he said, was instituted and carried out by the council at a cost of $500 by an independent assessor and his opponents were not justified in claiming credit for the move. He challenged anyone to refute his statement, and said: "I defy anyone in this audience to make one specific charge of anything wrong in the administration of the affairs of Esquimalt."

FINANCIAL DIFFICULTIES

The reeve reviewed the difficulties, mainly financial, confronting the council, but, he said, those difficulties were to be found in almost every other municipality in the Dominion. He was referring principally to the cancellation of Government grants and increased social service costs. Reversions of properties caused additional burdens to be placed on the remaining taxable lands. He cited an instance where, in one municipality in the province, taxable parcels of land had been reduced from 33,000 to 10,000 in the last ten-year period.

Dealing with the increase in the tax rate of Esquimalt from twenty-five mills in 1927 to forty mills in 1935, Mr. Lockley claimed his opponents were not presenting the whole story. The reeve said that since 1931 approximately $13,000 had been lost to the municipality through cancellation of grants. "My opponent had the benefit of those grants during his term of office and he was not saddled with an additional $4,000 in social service costs that have to be made up out of taxes. We fought to retain those grants and it makes no difference who you elect as your reeve that situation must be faced. Social service costs were not created by us, yet we have to pay for them," he stated.

STANDS BY EMPLOYEES

Concerning a report he was in favor of discharging employees as a measure of economy, Mr. Lockley said: "During the past two years I have made an investigation of every position and I openly declare, here and now, that I am not in favor of discharging one man in the employ of the corporation. I intend to stand by our employees, because you will not find another group as loyal in the whole of the province." (Applause.)

BALANCED BUDGET

Further in his address and when he was dealing with the municipality's financial position, Mr. Lockley declared: "For the first time in the history of Esquimalt, we have been able to complete our financial year without having to go to the bank for a second loan to meet current expenditures. You were told by my opponents we would have to borrow $6,000 to meet our obligations. We have not had to borrow six cents and all our accounts are paid."

A voice: "You borrowed from the Government."

Mr. Lockley: "The amount we borrowed from the Government was on the assurance that it would not be demanded at any time it would be injurious to the municipality. Not one dollar borrowed from the Government for relief work was levied for in 1935, and if we had paid in full our relief costs and the cost of Skinners' Flats, we would have come out equal at the end of the year."

With reference to the financial statement, Mr. Lockley said: "The books of the municipality are audited by an independent firm of auditors and you cannot get away from their statement, which gives a true account of the municipality's position."

SKINNERS' FLATS

Mr. Lockley vigorously denied any mismanagement in connection with the Skinners' Flats undertaking, and explained, in detail, the charges made against the engineer and the result of the investigation, which completely exonerated him. Mr. Lockley also explained the details concerning "the Constance Avenue lot." He said the lot, on which the corporation spent a small amount of money, to correct a wrong, had been purchased from a private company and not from the municipality, as had been charged.

Regarding cost of educational maintenance, Mr. Lockley agreed if there had been any mistake in the administration of the school system it had been in going too far with economy measures. "If my opponents say they can run the school system at less cost, I say to them 'hands off the school.' Lampson Street school is known all over the province, and it is an asset to our municipality." (Applause). "I am not in favor of any further economies. Our children should have the very best in education that we can give them." The Reeve complimented the school board on its 1935 administration.

POLICE ADMINISTRATION

The Reeve presented a statement showing the cost of police administration in 1930, when it was $8,742, and the reduction to $5,695 in 1935. Accidents on roads had been cut from 102 in 1930 to twelve in 1935, the lowest in years, he said. Mr Lockley said he was opposed to Provincial Police patrol of the municipality. The cost, he stated, would be $5,470, and the municipality would have to look after licence collections and pound work, now performed by the police department. The difference in cost, he said, did not justify a change. He praised Commissioner S. R. Bowden, who is seeking re-election, and the chief constable, for their services.

"In 1934," the Reeve concluded, "we came into office with a deficit of $37,000. At the end of that year there was a slight deficit, and at the close of 1935 we balanced our budget for the first time in many years. It is a record we have the right to be proud of, and win or lose in this election, I will stand by Esquimalt, and be the last one to give it a 'black eye'."

At the conclusion of his speech, the Reeve answered questions concerning beer parlors. He emphatically denied he had given the Attorney-General of the Province assurance there would not be opposition to additional beer parlors in Esquimalt. He had not expressed an opinion either as Reeve or privately, he said. During the question period he was given an attentive hearing.

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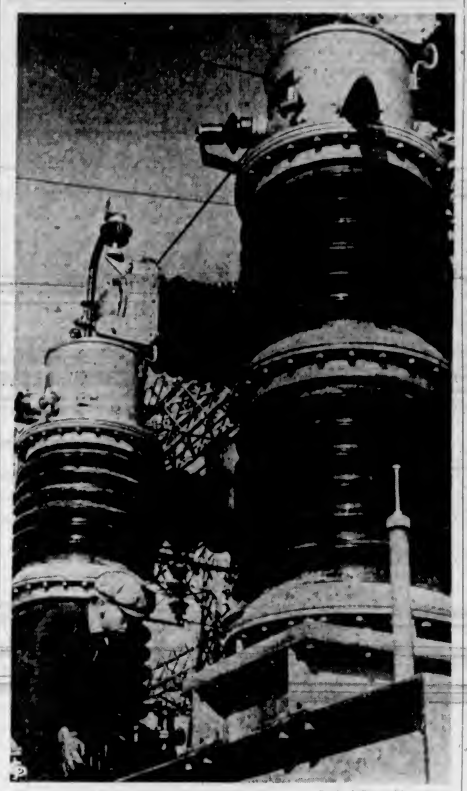

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Award Contract For Building of New Auditorium

WORK is expected to start almost immediately on the construction of the new Oaklands School auditorium. The City Council last night awarded the contract to Luney Bros., Ltd., this firm having submitted the lowest tender. Its bid was $7,760.

The school board will hold a special meeting next Wednesday, when it is expected final authorization for the work will be given.

TOURIST TRADE GATHERING SET

First Annual Meeting to Be Held in Spencer's Dining-Room, January 31

The annual meeting of the Tourist Trade Development Association will be held in Spencer's dining-room at 12:15 o'clock on January 31, the executive committee decided yesterday afternoon. Mayor David Leeming, president of the association, will be the chairman.

A tentative programme for 1936, subject to securing sufficient funds, was adopted by the executive. It was definitely decided to commence Show Boat concerts in the Inner Harbor early in June, and to hold the second annual Winter Fair in October.

W. B. Monteith, honorary auditor of the association, presented the balance sheet. In passing it, the committee tendered a hearty vote of thanks to Mr. Monteith for the undertaking and for his whole-hearted support of the association during the past year. The secretary was instructed to have the first annual statement published.

MUNICIPAL AID IS INDICATED

City Asked to Provide Government With Statistics On Public Works Costs

An indication the Provincial Government might assist municipalities in programmes of public works, was disclosed at last night's meeting of the City Council when a letter was read from Hon. G. S. Pearson, Minister of Labor.

The minister asked the city to answer a questionnaire for the purpose of guiding the Government in any decision in respect to giving municipalities assistance in various works.

The nature of the questions was along the line of what was the normal municipal xpenditure on works during the years 1925 to 1927, compared with expenditures during the latter years of the depression.

COASTAL STEAMER OVERDUE

MEXICO, D.F., Jan. 23 (AP).—Newspaper dispatches reported tonight the coastal steamer Cruz Cano, with thirty-four persons aboard, was many hours overdue at Vera Cruz and was feared to have been driven ashore by a fifty-mile-an-hour windstorm in the Gulf of Mexico.

Englishwoman Is Burned in Plane

ALICANTE, Spain, Jan. 23 (AP).—The English flyer, Miss Elizabeth Malcon, twenty-five, was killed today when a wing of her airplane collapsed on the take-off from the local airport. The plane crashed and burst into flames. Miss Malcon was unable to extricate herself and was burned to death. She had flown here from Paris on her way to Morocco, landing to refuel.

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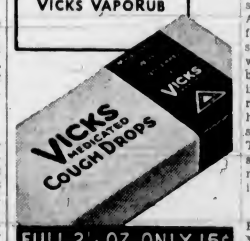

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LEGION WILL HOLD PARADE

Members to Assemble Outside Public Library for Cathedral Service

Members of the Canadian Legion and the Women's Auxiliaries will parade to Christ Church Cathedral on Tuesday afternoon to participate in a memorial service for His Late Majesty King George V. The service will commence at 3 o'clock.

Commanded by Lieutenant-General Sir Percy Lake, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., the parade will form outside the public library at 2:25 o'clock and will move off fifteen minutes later led by the Canadian Legion Band. The Slow March will be played during the last 200 yards from the Cathedral.

All ex-service men and women, regardless of affiliation, are invited to join the parade and pay tribute to the memory of a beloved sovereign, a fellow ex-service man and patron-in-chief of the British Empire Service League.

Members of the Canadian Legion are requested to observe the Dominion president's wish that they shall now and until after His Majesty's funeral wear a mourning crepe rosette behind their badges.

The service at the Cathedral will be conducted by Rt. Rev. H. E. Sexton, Bishop - Coadjutor, late chaplain to the forces, and Very Rev. Cecil S. Quainton, Dean of Columbia. Music will be furnished by the Canadian Legion Band.

PIONEER DIES AT RIPE AGE

Mrs. Charles H. Blake Was Born Eighty-One Years Ago at Colwood

Victoria lost another link with the historic past of Lower Vancouver Island when Mrs. Martha Ellen Blake, who was born eighty-one years ago at the old Hudson's Bay Company's Colwood farm, died yesterday in the Royal Jubilee Hospital.

Through her long life, Mrs. Blake made many friends, and her passing will be deeply felt by those who were privileged to know her. Mrs. Blake's friendliness was a delight to all.

She was the only daughter of the late Robert Fish and was the widow of Captain Charles H. Blake.

Mrs. Blake is survived by two sons, Frank, at the family residence, 628 John Street, and Harry L. S. Blake, 2934 Harriet Road; an adopted daughter, Miss Lucille Blake, at home; two grandsons, John and Robert Unternaher, San Francisco, and one granddaughter, Ellen Meston, Vancouver.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Obituary

READ—There passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital yesterday, Aaron Read, of 1314 George Street. The remains are resting at the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Announcement of the funeral will be made later.

MUNN—Funeral services for Mrs. Jennie Case Munn, of 112 Mason Street, will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Sands Mortuary Chapel, under the auspices of Colfax Rebekah Lodge, No. 1, I.O.O.F. Rev. Canon Stocken will officiate, and the remains will be laid at rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

HEATLEY—The funeral of Mrs. Isabella Williamson Heatley, wife of Chief Thomas Heatley, who passed away Wednesday evening at the family residence, 3047 Washington Avenue, will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in the chapel of Sands Mortuary, Ltd., under the auspices of Queen City Chapter, No. 5, Order of the Eastern Star. Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson will officiate, and the remains will be laid at rest in Colwood Burial Park.

GRIFFITHS—In the presence of relatives and many friends, the funeral of Robert Griffiths, who passed away on January 21, took place yesterday afternoon. Rev. T. H. McAllister conducted the service, during which Adjutant L. Ede, of the Salvation Army, offered a prayer. Mrs. S. M. Morton rendered the solo, "In the Garden," and the congregational hymns were "Nearer My God to Thee" and "Lead, Kindly Light." The casket was surrounded by an unusually large number of beautiful floral tributes. The following acted as pallbearers: Alfred Button, Robert Godtel, Richard Veness, A. R. Frewing, R. Scott and R. Evans. The remains were laid at rest in Royal Oak Burial Park.

WALKER—Funeral services for William Joseph Walker, Saanich pioneer, who passed away on January 20, were held yesterday afternoon in St. Stephen's Church, Saanich. Rev. J. S. A. Bastin conducted the services, and the hymn sung was "Peace, Perfect Peace." As the casket was being removed from the church, the congregation sang "Nunc Dimittis." The church was filled to capacity and the many beautiful floral tributes surrounding the casket betokened the high respect in which the deceased was held. L. C. Hagan, Albert Lacoursiere, A. Thomson, A. Ingram, Fred Turgoose and Captain W. A. Bissett acted as pallbearers. The remains were laid at rest in the family plot in the church cemetery.

DODD—There passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital yesterday Mrs. Annie Dodd, wife of Arthur M. Dodd, aged fifty-eight years. She was a native of Reading, England, and had been a resident of Victoria for the past three months. She was a former resident of Saskatoon. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband and one son at the family residence, 1171 Rockland Avenue, and one sister, Mrs. E. J. Howell, residing in England. The remains are resting at the Thomson Funeral Home, where the funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

FRASER — Funeral services for George L. Fraser, of 2251 Cadboro Bay Road, who passed away on Wednesday, will be held tomorrow afternoon, at 3:30 o'clock, at McCall Brothers' Funeral Home, under the auspices of the Britannia Lodge No. 73, A.F. and A.M. Interment will be made in the family plot in Royal Oak Burial Park.

HUGHES—Gilbert Eldrid Paley Hughes, aged five years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred C. Hughes, of 1128 Empress Avenue, passed away on Wednesday night, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital. He was born in Victoria. He is survived by his parents; one sister, Ruth; two brothers, Alfred and Raymond; his grandparents, Rev. Arthur deB. Owen and Mrs. Owen; also his grandmother, Mrs. L. A. Hughes, of 1426 Pembroke Street. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in McCall Bros.' Funeral Home. Interment will take place in Colwood Burial Park.

ANTROBUS—The death occurred yesterday at the Royal Jubilee Hospital of Zacarais Antrobus, aged eighty-two years, born in Frodsham, Cheshire, England, and had been a resident of Saanich for fifteen years, lately residing at 3415 "S" Street, Saanich. Deceased is survived by one son and two daughters, John, of 3415 "S" Street; Mrs. J. Cockings, of Brentwood, and Mrs. B. Everett, of Winnipeg, and several grandchildren. The funeral will be held on Saturday, January 25, at 2:30 o'clock at Carter's Funeral Home, Rev. O. L. Jull will officiate, and interment will take place in Royal Oak Burial Park.

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LITTLE THINGS

UNTHINKING persons scoff at the suggestion that little changes in foods exercise vast power over their bodies. They know that the lasting qualities of a house or a machine depend upon the materials used in building it. How much more true must this be of the human body. It can be only as youthful, and resistant as the food materials that build it permit. I am absolutely convinced that most human bodies are built out of dead and mineral-deficient foods. They lose youthfulness, lack resistance and become diseased early and die long before their natural time.

Only little changes are necessary to transform these bodies into elastic, flexible, resilient, youthful bodies that can double or treble their present potentialities for accomplishment and the joy of living.

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THE NAVAL CONFERENCE

No conclave on the subject of naval armaments can reach conclusive findings regarding ratios of world power on the sea while one of the great nations of that world is absent from the deliberations. The present Naval Conference in London, in refusing to acknowledge Japan's claim for parity in naval strength with any other Power, has diminished the possibility of reaching conclusions conducive to world peace. Japan has withdrawn from the Conference. It is now proposed to strengthen the gathering by the inclusion of Germany and Russia. The argument in favor of such inclusion was just as strong at the time the Conference was being summoned. Germany and Russia may well regard such an invitation now as in the nature of an afterthought, something that would be naturally hurtful to the pride of any nation.

The present Naval Conference became necessary because of the action of Japan. That nation gave notice over a year ago of its determination to terminate the 1922 Washington Naval Treaty with the desire to negotiate some new instrument. About the same time, too, Japan made it clear that hereafter she would be satisfied with nothing less than an acknowledgment of her right to parity of naval strength with any other Power. It was known, therefore, what was the prerequisite of success attending the present Conference. That prerequisite remains, for even if Germany became a member of the Conference she, too, would be justified in claiming the parity which was refused to Japan, but which Japan can now make possible for herself without requiring any international sanction.

The circumstances surrounding the carrying into effect of the Washington Treaty do not prevail today. That treaty fixed rigid limits to numbers of ships of certain classes, to their individual tonnage and to the size of guns with which they are armed, which the signatories all agreed not to exceed. The nations were exhausted through war; they were glad of a breathing space for recovery; they welcomed the opportunity to cut down expenditures on national security. Circumstances have altered because of international friction and for other reasons. Some of the Powers now regard the limits set by the Washington Treaty as derogatory to them. Moreover, the ratios defined no longer reflect relative naval needs from the standpoint of national security, as the international situation has developed.

The present Naval Conference has been brought up with a round turn by the decision of Japan to withdraw. It is now casting about to see how its prestige may be restored by additions to the nations taking part in the deliberations. The inclusion of Germany would mean recognition that the Treaty of Versailles is a dead letter. Russia's participation would be that of a second class naval power in a conclave primarily composed of only first class naval powers. The situation is, therefore, not developing satisfactorily. It does not give promise of results likely to suspend international rivalries in armament building. Such a possibility would, presumably, be aggravated were Germany and Russia participants.

DRAMA FESTIVAL

Thanks to the persistent efforts of local dramatic people, the sub-regional presentation of plays under the Dominion Drama Festival listed for next Wednesday will take place under happier circumstances than formerly. As compared with the previous arrangement, by which the elimination contests were held in Vancouver, the expense will be less both to the successful clubs and the individual players. On the cultural side all entrants will have the advantage of playing before the English adjudicator, a benefit shared by the playgoers who will hear his criticisms. In this respect the local dramatists have moved up to the status of local musicians, the adjudicators of whom in the Musical Festival are musical authorities in the Old Land. That Mr. Allan Wade, noted actor, producer and play-reader, of London, who was judge at the finals last year at Ottawa, will be the critic next Tuesday will give added piquancy to the occasion.

The citizens do well to give hearty support to the dramatic movement in their midst because of its educational value to playgoers, as well as to actors and producers. Drama is a penetrating and vivid interpreter of human life. Giving an understanding of human nature, it broadens sympathy, a most desirable acquisition. A course in dramatic art, however obtained, gives a widened outlook upon human affairs. To study the interplay of motives and emotions, the reactions of environment upon the human spirit, is as intricate at it is engrossing. The living drama, though faced by that tremendous rival, the film, is making headway. The prominence now being given to drama in radio is evidence of the attractiveness of the living voice. The growth of the Little Theatre movement is proof of the perennial power of the corporate dramatic presentation by living actors before a seeing and hearing and participating audience.

That Victoria and British Columbia are recognized as making a contribution to this movement is expressed in an article in a recent issue of Saturday Night, of Toronto, by Mr. Malcolm Morley, the regional adjudicator in last year's National Dramatic Festival. Dealing with the development of native drama, which, he says, began in April, 1921, with the presentation of three Canadian plays in Hart House Theatre, Toronto, Mr. Morley cites Major Bullock-Webster, of this city, as a "live force in British Columbia," who, besides having written "a number of original dramatic works, has compressed something like two hundred modern and classical plays into the dramalogues he has been giving during the past dozen years." He commends his work as organizing secretary of the Canadian Drama Award. As instancing "much activity to be found in Victoria," Mr. Morley refers to the plays of Mr. A. M. D. Fairbairn, Miss Reby Edmond and Mr. A. chie McCorkindale as illustrative of the creative dramatic spirit here.

OPENINGS IN AVIATION

There are only from twenty-five to thirty aircraft and aero-engine manufacturing firms in the United Kingdom, and yet Great Britain has been for the past ten years the chief exporter of aircraft among the nations of the world. There is obviously a great future for air transport, and it is one of those new futures that is open to youth. This is emphasized by a pamphlet in the "Choice of Careers Series" issued by the British Ministry of Labor, which says:

"At present few air transport companies pay their way on a commercial basis; but it is probably in this branch of transport that the greatest development will occur in the near future. 'Blind flying' instruments, the use of radio for direction-finding, night lighting of aerodromes and air routes, and the latest devices for helping aeroplanes to land under conditions of fog, all make for an increase in the regularity of service, regardless of weather conditions. With such certainty, air transport will become more attractive to commerce generally . . . There is no doubt that qualified pilots, navigators, research engineers, designers, ground engineers, airport and aerodrome assistants and managers will be required in increasing numbers. The complexity of the modern metal aeroplane and its engine, as well as the number and delicacy of aircraft instruments, demand that the personnel dealing with them should have the highest qualifications, and the method of obtaining these are, in fact, regulated and protected by law. Those who have qualified, therefore, should have good prospects of obtaining a livelihood."

A COW'S RESPONSIBILITY

Not one in a thousand persons who derives entertainment from moving pictures knows that if it were not for the fact that cows like mustard there would be no such thing as the film industry. That industry rests upon a very simple fact of Nature which has been taken advantage of in the chemistry of photography. The gelatine used in photographic materials makes them exceedingly sensitive to light. It contains a trace of sulphur, and the sulphur is derived from mustard oil. The gelatine is made from calf skins. When made from the skins of other animals it lacks the mustard, perhaps because they are more discriminating feeders than cows are. A rabbit skin would never do for making the gelatine, indispensable to the camera, for a rabbit eats a blade of grass at a time, and if it is a "hot blade" it leaves it; a cow, however, eats whatever comes in its way as it grazes across a field. That is why the skin of calves supply the mustard oil which in use through the gelatine of photographic materials makes moving pictures possible.

The most radical reformers in the world cannot dissociate themselves for long from customs which have become ingrained in the hearts and imaginations of the people. Even in Bolshevist Russia the Christmas Tree has had to be revived. It is, however, made a New Year's Tree. The Bolshevists continue to be sceptical about Santa Claus, possibly because of their fear of Germany, where the legend originated.

SHE TO HIM

You will come in from airs of crumbling rust
That tarnished what was gold a while ago,
And this will be upon you like a dust
Of ruin from another world you know,
Where mountains are long sleepers on the sky
And roads are frosted mud and trees are stark,
With only stars to see the going by
Of the lone traveler through the empty dark.

And you will turn the knob and enter in,
So recently companioned by the strange
And desolate shapes in hands where you have been,
That I must wait and watch you while you change
That world for this, the moment when your eyes
Will see me . . . suddenly . . . and with surprise.
—David Morton, in The New York Sun.

Humility leads to the highest distinction, because it leads to self-improvement.—Sir Benjamin Brodie.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7:00 p.m., January 23, 1936.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

The barometer has risen over this Province, and cloudy, mild weather prevails from the Coast eastward to the Kootenays.

Mild weather continues in Alberta. Sub-zero temperatures are again reported in Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

(Precipitation for twelve hours to 5:00 p.m.; temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Snow	Rain	Min.	Max.
Victoria	--	.02	42	50
Nanaimo	--	--	43	50
Vancouver	--	.02	46	52
Kamloops	--	--	30	36
Prince George	--	--	32	42
Estevan Point	--	--	44	48
Prince Rupert	--	.08	38	46
Atlin	--	--	10	20
Dawson	--	--	24b	12b
Seattle	--	Trace	46	50
Portland	--	--	40	48
San Francisco	--	--	48	64
Spokane	--	--	32	48
Los Angeles	--	--	56	76
Pentleton	--	--	31	--
Vernon	--	--	30	--
Grand Forks	--	--	24	36
Nelson	--	.04	33	38
Kasio	--	--	33	--
Cranbrook	--	--	29	43
Calgary	--	--	22	34
Edmonton	.10	--	10	34
Swift Current	--	--	10	16
Prince Albert	--	--	22b	12b
Saskatoon	--	--	12b	6b
Qu'Appelle	--	--	16b	10b
Winnipeg	--	--	40b	20b
Moose Jaw	--	--	10b	2b
Wednesday—				
Toronto	--	--	1b	9
Ottawa	--	--	10b	8b
Montreal	--	--	10b	4
Saint John	--	--	14	36
Halifax	--	--	22	36

THURSDAY

Minimum	42
Maximum	50
Average	46
Minimum on the grass	38

Weather, fair; sunshine, 5 hours.

5:00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.23; wind, S., 4 miles; fair.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.22; calm; cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.22; wind, N., 4 miles; cloudy.

Prince George—Barometer, 30.16; wind, SW., 24 miles; cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.30; wind, SW., 4 miles; fair.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.20; wind, NW., 12 miles, fair.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.22; wind, E., 4 miles; cloudy.

Portland—Barometer, 30.18; wind, W., 4 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.22; wind, N., 8 miles; cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.02; wind, N., 4 miles; clear.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

Some folk have a notion we need a new notion.
Analysis guaranteed as exact.
For perpetual motion we'd share their devotion.
If our reading were only correct.
—Pat.

Pat has joined Mike in the regions of the blessed, and there may be ructions in the place dedicated to peace and rest. It is said the Irish "take to politics as a duck takes to water." When the Irish take to economics and mix them with politics, what can be expected but fierce contentions? By winged messenger we have received the following report of pending trouble:

Hur-rr-umph! "So Mike has been visiting you again to sermonize." Was it a snack before retiring or a guilty conscience that brought Pat to visit us in a dream period? Whatever the cause, the greeting was characteristic. In former days it was Mike's bounden duty to give Pat good advice, especially when Pat sought a loan to tide him over to the next pay day. Having listened to Pat's tales in days past, we arrived at the conclusion that he resented good advice more than the refusal of a loan. Now we know that Pat has gained some wisdom, but cannot altogether rid himself of resentment towards sermonizing.

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It seems that Pat, in spite of certain faults and contrary to ideas some people hold, shares a corner of a better land with acquisitive Mike and that "ould" banker who was a friend of Mike's down here. In that land there was peace and quietness for a long time, though Mike and his banker friend frequently shook their heads at some of our goings on down here.

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Lately Pilgrims with a new economic idea have been arriving and the place is more or less disturbed. The Pilgrims are argumentative fellows and seek out those who were content to express their disbelief by a quiet shake of the head; sometimes they force an argument on Mike and his banker friend.

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According to Pat—who, while he was undependable in some ways, was generally truthful—Mike in argument always maintains that the scheme advocated by the Pilgrims amounts to nothing more or less than perpetual motion. It means constant increases in currency to enable people to consume expanded production in ever-widening circles; to consume for the sake of consumption apart from our real needs. At first Pat had faults to find with Mike's argument, and can still find some in it, but is convinced it contains a great deal of truth, as evidenced by the fact that the free tap at the brewery finally ran dry owing to the too frequent visits he, Pat, made to it. Here we are afraid Mike was a trifle unkind in attempting to prove a point.

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The banker's argument is always much the same as Mike's; the main difference is in the words used. Instead of perpetual motion the banker says "progressive inflation," and the Pilgrims invariably disagree with him. Pat is sadly confused about this inflation business; there is no end to the varieties of inflation, and no one can agree on what is inflation and what is not. For every expert the Pilgrims quote the banker quotes two, and quiet has departed. The only sense Pat got out of this angle of the argument was that there is danger in inflating a balloon, specially one of the stratosphere type. Various cross currents have to be reckoned with, experience is necessary, and guesses may prove disastrous.

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One day the argument between the old friends, the Pilgrims waxed hot, and it was necessary for a peacemaker to intervene with a suggestion that a third and independent party should endeavor to settle the dispute. An old man who sat over in a distant corner amusing himself with a larger map of the world was suggested, and after some questioning, was agreed to by the parties. At first the Pilgrims were reluctant to accept the old "Dago," at Pat called him. He was too old—out of date.

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However, on the intervener pointing out that the old man had had ample opportunity to study and keep up with world developments, and that as these developments did not in the least affect him, he was in a position to act the part of an impartial judge. On approaching the old man closely it could be observed that a faint dotted line was traced on his map, starting at Venice and running down the Adriatic Sea, across the eastern portion of the Mediterranean Sea, to Acre, and from thence heavy lines, in faded ink, turned and twisted all over Asia.

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"This line," the old man said, "represented his early travels." "And what," queried Pat, "do all these straight lines to Europe, to Africa, and even to the western hemisphere, represent?" "The lines you ask about," said the old man, "are lines tracing all ideas from the point of origin to where they have been revived in more recent times. This line from Egypt to Chandu represents grain, or corn, as we called it. You will observe another line running from Chandu to Ottawa. It also deals with grain. This line from Chandu to London represent the idea of paper currency backed by tangible stored wealth which can have a universal agreed price, and it also represents other means of exchange acceptable locally, because the maker has real wealth to back his note of hand.

"This line serves a double purpose; it connects the country where express posts originated with the country which ultimately made the greater contribution to express communications."

"And so," exclaimed Pat, "there really is nothing new under the sun."

"In principle nothing new, my friend; some things have been improved on. A good idea lives and improves with age. A fallacy never dies; it just persists and changes its disguise every so often.

"And now, gentlemen, how can I serve you?" asked the old man.

Mike's eyes had a gleam in them by now; the banker's face was, as usual, expressionless, all the Pilgrims were slightly uneasy and demanded a statement of the old man's qualifications to act as an arbiter in a difference concerning economic science. They had to be content with an explanation that he had been a traveler, a student and a writer over an average lifetime, and had, besides, occupied his present disinterested position for some six centuries and over and had not neglected to keep up with economic progress. To make a long story short, as Pat says, the cases were heard, and, on the decision going to Mike and his friend, a rumpus arose. According to the Pilgrims, their proposal was a scientific and exact analysis of world troubles with a remedy prescribed. The old man's answer to this was: "Gentlemen, you are wrong. It is impossible to make an exact analysis of an inexact science. In chemistry, in metallurgy and some other fields an approximately accurate analysis is possible after long experience. Economics deals with a far from constant human element as much as it deals with currency and credit. My old friend Kublai Khan recognized this fact seven centuries ago."

The Observation Car

BY THE EDITORIAL STAFF

The Balky Car

Automobiles have temperament! This week I watched a man crank a car, until the engine turned. The motor stopped as he got back into the seat. With a look of annoyance he left the vehicle, to crank it again, and with the same result. Desperation was in his face when he started to open the door a third time. It would, one could see, go hard with that balky car, but the opening of the door started the engine!—S.G.

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Do You Know That

The largest whale ever caught was 110 feet long and weighed 115 tons. It was speared in the Antarctic back in 1927 . . . A parrot in England, after thinking it over for 102 years, laid an egg. At this rate it will take the owner a long time to get a sitting . . . Charles "Cy" Rigler, former umpire of the National Baseball League, who died recently in Philadelphia was arbitrator in 6,100 games and ten world series. He is generally believed to have introduced the now universal system of raising the right arm in designation of a stroke. By the way, I had quite a chat with Rigler when he passed through Victoria several years ago with Ty Cobb and several other big leaguers on the way to Japan . . . The teddy bear was first put on the market about 1907. It is a stuffed doll in the shape of a bear. The name given was a humorous allusion to Theodore Roosevelt's hobby of bear hunting . . . Lake Superior is the largest body of fresh water in the world. It is 383 miles long; 160 miles wide, and has an area of 31,180 square miles. The maximum depth is 1,180 feet. —J.D.

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In the Good Old Days

Another dose of "Do You Remembers" . . . When a little red wooden building stood on the site of the Capitol Theatre? It was a photographer's studio for some time and a stove store until pulled down . . . When there was a shop on Fort Street that guaranteed to put a permanent crease in trousers? It was accomplished by sewing a narrow piece of stiff cloth inside the seams . . . When the site of the Haileybury and Arcade Buildings was a mass of debris from Spencer's big fire . . . When Victoria had a real celebration in the shape of Carnival Week in August, 1913 . . . When real estate salesmen claimed a population of 100,000 for the city . . . When there was a large electric sign that spelled out advertisements atop the Hibben-Bone Building . . . When most of the street cars had openwork wire gates and conductors went up and down the aisles collecting fares . . . When the rule of the road was changed from left to right one cold January . . . When a dirt road ran past the Crystal Garden . . . When the breakwater at Ogden Point was built . . . When Victoria became known as a shipbuilding city during the war and for a short time after?—G.B.

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Doing Good Work

Some idea of the splendid work being done by the Provincial Recreational Centres, organized under the Department of Education, was ably demonstrated Tuesday evening at the Victoria High School gymnasium, at the "open night" presented by the Victoria Centre, when approximately 200 men and women went through the physicial training exercises given at the regular classes. The keenness with which they went about their task was remarkable, and the enjoyment they received out of their training was much in evidence. True the greater number of these taking the classes are young folks, but there are a few older persons who are availing themselves of the training offered. Time changes many things. In fact, the present public physicial training classes provided by the government, symbolize changing times, but for all that, they are a step in the right direction towards making a healthier, happier and more contented people, and what more could we ask for in such unsettled times. We take this opportunity of extending our congratulations to the Hon. Dr. G. M. Weir, Minister of Education, Ian Eisenhardt, provincial director, and the instructors under their supervision, for the fine work they are carrying out. May it continue.—S.T.

Grocery Clerk: "We are selling these goods, madam, at a ridiculous price."

Woman Customer: "I should say you are!—I can buy them cheaper in half a dozen places."

THE COLONIST IN LONDON

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Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 300 words in length.

ESQUIMALT ELECTIONS

Sir,—Will you kindly grant me a little space in your valuable paper so that I may tell the voters of Esquimalt why I have offered my services on the school board?

I have no criticism to find with the efforts of any of the retiring trustees, but, as they have so generously given their time and energy (without remuneration) for a number of years, I think it is the duty of other parents and taxpayers who are vitally interested in the welfare of the school, at least to offer themselves. A few years ago only one candidate came forward to fill two vacancies, and, consequently, one of the members of the school board (who is also one of the retiring trustees seeking reelection) denounced in no uncertain terms, at a public meeting which he called, the attitude of the parents and taxpayers for their lack of interest in the school in not offering themselves for election.

I was then unable to take on any further responsibility, but as I am now in a position to give my time, and as I am also vitally interested both materially and financially in the school, I am offering my services as a school trustee, and if elected, I will conscientiously do my duty as I see it.

(MRS.) ELLEN MITCHELL.

655 Admirals Road, Esquimalt, B.C., January 21, 1936.

VICTORIA, THE SUFFERER

Sir,—A few days ago there was a notice in the local newspapers of the removal of the office of customs inspector to Vancouver.

I waited to see if some Victoria organization, or at least some prominent citizen, would make a protest of some sort. How many benefits has Victoria received at the hands of any Liberal Government? Is it not a fact that after any election in which a Liberal member has not been sent to Ottawa from Victoria that Victoria has been punished?

I wonder if Victorians ever pause and cogitate on the answer. It appears to me that the answer would be obvious to the blind. Victoria and Vancouver Island are pro-British and pro-Conservative. Vancouver is pro-Vancouver and other considerations are of no importance. Who of her political suitors can claim her, the coy jade!!! But she knows what she wants, and goes on recklessly towards her goal.

I do not suppose that my poor pen will have much effect, beyond the fact, as a citizen of the capital city of this province, I object and object strongly to the discrimination shown against this city of Victoria by the Liberal Governments, at all times in favor of our flamboyant neighbor. What answer did Mr. Mackenzie King give a Provincial Conservative Government when his party was in power before? At the commencement of the depression, when his Government was asked for financial help, he said, "As long as there is a Conservative Government in British Columbia at Victoria I will not give one cent of Federal money to aid them."

How a chief executive of a country could be returned to power after such a statement is simply beyond my comprehension. Vancouver is all things to all men. Well Victoria is rather Victorian, a bit choosy. How long are we going to be the goat and like it?

NEVILLE E. FAIRWEATHER.

352 Arnold Avenue, Victoria, B.C., January 20, 1936.

HOUSING SCHEMES

Sir,—Your editorial of the 4th instant, and Mr. W. H. Davies' letter of the 10th, both treat the housing problem from a point of view benefitting the present property owner and taxpayer, in that you both suggest modernizing the many vacant improved properties, in preference to eliminating them entirely in favor of newly constructed homes only. Quite a logical suggestion.

In the interim, Alderman Dewar offers a partial solution for the prevention of further reversions of unimproved property to the city, and the bringing back into the taxpaying lists much of that property previously reverted and now lying dormant, the figures showing over 50 per cent.

On a close analysis of the scheme, the expense would be borne by the remaining decreasing property-owning taxpayers, in that he suggests the utilization of a part of their civic revenue be appropriated for an advertising and publicity campaign; and he further proposes to allow to all potential home builders, as an inducement to purchase lots from the city, a heavy discount on the purchase price of said lots. Thus he unwittingly undersells the present low market sales values. Not so good.

However, whichever way you look at it, the present property owner taxpayer must be vitally interested, in that it is his money that must be spent. Under Alderman Dewar's scheme—"for the direct benefit of civic revenue, and a distinct devaluing of property; but a possible future reduction in taxation." On the other hand, under the proposed protection by modernization scheme first—"works for the direct and distinct present and future of all property owners, whether holding improved or unimproved property."

It was stated it could be shown that in the final analysis the cost of residing in an adjoining municipality exceeded that of residing within the city proper. It does, to the tune of about 25 per cent, and much more to be added where one lives within walking distance of the civic centre; not to mention the extra public conveniences and protection enjoyed.

Now may I add the proposal that the property owners, realtors, builders, plumbers and all allied mills, factories and trades, and the Chamber of Commerce combine with the determination of getting strongly behind the movement to prosecute the very much-needed remodelling and new construction campaign. In my opinion such a movement will immediately tend to reduce taxation, increase all land and property values, and stimulate advertising to a far greater extent than that at present proposed by Alderman Dewar who, by the way, is to be highly commended for his worthy effort to start something concrete.

Writing as an experienced land and industrial—valuator and adjuster, I may say that Mr. Davies has produced to me figures showing that quite handsome dividends, or profits, were earned lately when he experimented in the remodelling of an old type home, actually sold before completion; and it is on the strength of this practical accomplishment, and proof of the immediate possibility of earning dividends, that I have made the foregoing proposal, and now further propose that the civic fathers would be operating on sound financial ground were they to guarantee only a 5 per cent dividend yearly to the subscribers to such sufficient fund as is found necessary to immediately prosecute a campaign for the remodelling of old type and building of new homes. It is my candid opinion that this civic guarantee will never be exercised, as the accurate dividend shown to me by Mr. Davies is far in excess of it, in which event the city does not spend a cent.

H. P. WINSBY.

1626 Fell Street, Victoria, B.C., January 20, 1936.

UNION LIBRARY PLAN

Sir,—Will you kindly grant me a short space in which to make a few remarks in connection with the Carnegie Library scheme which is being voted on at the present time on Vancouver Island?

At the present time the fate of this very worthy scheme is in the balance. Most of the municipalities and districts in the northern part of the area affected by the scheme have voted most decisively for it with large majorities, but since it is necessary that 24,000 of the population of the entire area be in favor of it, at present there is a danger of defeat, unless the districts which will vote on Saturday, January 25, strongly support the pebiscite.

The advantages of this library are so striking that it seems impossible for anyone who understands it to be voting against it. The fee is only one dollar or in some cases slightly under this, and this includes all members of the family. Such a small sum is within the ability of all to find.

The books are changed at frequent intervals and convenient depots are arranged for dispersal in each section.

When the scheme is well established, particular attention will be given to the development of school libraries and reading rooms.

This library will offer not only good up-to-date fiction, but also authentic and up-to-date non-fiction volumes on art, science, music, drama, psychology, gardening, biology, economics, in fact, on practically every subject under the sun. Such a library is a tremendous boon to the young and old students of today who could not begin to buy these valuable and expensive volumes, and is available to them for the small sum of ten cents a month. Clearly the question is not whether we can afford this library, but "can we afford to let such a golden opportunity pass by?"

The fact that the citizens at Ladysmith and most of the surrounding districts, who have suffered financially more than most in recent years, voted for the Library scheme, says a great deal for their intelligence and progressive spirit. Undoubtedly the districts which are to vote on Saturday, January 25, will follow their splendid example.

A. E. AKENHEAD.

Secretary Library Committee, Ladysmith, B.C., Jan. 21, 1936.

THE HEADLIGHT MENACE

Sir,—I am wondering whether you can do anything about the headlight menace. I've talked a lot about this for some time to people I thought had influence with the Automobile Association, or with the powers that be, without much result. However, with my wife in hospital with a cracked pelvis, I am going to try and do something more, and am beginning with you.

Since about 1929 at least every car, I'm pretty sure, has been equipped with means to dip its lights, and yet how many drivers of today have the courtesy to do so? Something ought to be done about it, and those cars that are not so equipped should be made to carry a spotlight low down to enable them to carry on with lights dimmed.

FRANK B. DAVIS.

Mill Bay, B.C., January 19, 1936.

(Additional Letters on Page 9)

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CUMBERLAND MINERS VOTE AGAINST STRIKE

CUMBERLAND, Jan. 23.—A strike vote taken Wednesday, by employees of Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir), Limited, at Cumberland, resulted in 276 for no strike, 220 for strike, four spoiled ballots. The ballot read as follows: "Are you in favor of coming on strike on February 1 for the purpose of reinstating the discriminated twenty-four."

Tides at Victoria

JANUARY

Time of tides (Pacific standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1936

Date	H	M	Ft.	H	M	Ft.	H	M	Ft.	H	M	Ft.
	Time		Ht.	Time		Ht.	Time		Ht.	Time		Ht.
1	0	55	4.5	8	26	9.1	15	20	4.6	21	35	6.1
2	1	14	5.0	8	46	9.3	16	31	3.8			
3				9	09	9.8	17	29	2.9			
4				9	25	9.8	18	20	2.0			
5				10	09	10.0	19	05	1.4			
6				10	49	10.0	19	47	1.0			
7				11	30	9.9	20	26	0.9			
8	6	06	9.6	12	22	9.6	21	12	0.6	21	02	1.0
9	6	22	8.9	9	15	8.5	12	56	0.3	21	39	1.4
10	6	38	8.8	10	10	8.1	13	35	0.8	22	14	2.0
11	6	51	8.6	11	06	7.6	14	19	1.5	22	46	2.7
12	7	06	8.6	12	11	7.1	15	03	2.3	23	22	3.4
13	7	21	8.6	13	22	6.5	15	58	3.2	23	40	4.3
14	7	40	8.8	14	20	6.0	17	14	4.2	23	58	5.0
15	7	57	8.8	15	20	5.4	20	09	5.7	23	17	5.9
16	8	14	8.8	16	21	4.7						
17	8	29	9.0	17	08	4.0						
18	8	44	9.1	17	45	3.4						
19	9	05	9.3	18	23	2.7						
20	9	42	9.5	18	58	2.0						
21	10	28	9.7	19	34	1.5						
22	11	16	9.8	20	11	1.0						
23	12	06	9.8	20	46	1.0						
24	5	40	8.6	8	24	9.0	12	01	9.5	21	24	1.2
25	5	26	8.2	9	25	7.5	13	55	9.1	22	02	1.7
26	5	46	8.4	10	29	8.8	14	55	8.5	22	40	2.5
27	6	07	8.5	11	28	8.0	16	08	7.7	23	18	3.5
28	6	26	8.7	12	25	8.2	17	29	7.0	23	50	4.5
29	6	50	8.9	13	40	4.4	20	00	6.5			
30	0	19	5.7	7	18	9.1	14	47	3.8			
31				7	40	9.4	15	54	2.0			

The time used is Pacific standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of low water.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt drydock, add 18.9 feet to the height of high water as above given.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Songhees drydock, add 20 feet to the height of high water as above given.

MOONRISE AND MOONSET

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1936

Date	Rises	Sets
1	11:25 a.m.	0:15 a.m.
	(First quarter on 1st)	
2	11:51 a.m.	1:25 a.m.
3	12:21 p.m.	2:52 a.m.
4	12:58 p.m.	4:09 a.m.
5	1:43 p.m.	5:21 a.m.
6	2:39 p.m.	6:24 a.m.
7	3:43 p.m.	7:19 a.m.
8	4:52 p.m.	7:57 a.m.
	(Full moon on 8th)	
9	6:02 p.m.	8:30 a.m.
10	7:11 p.m.	8:56 a.m.
11	8:18 p.m.	9:18 a.m.
12	9:23 p.m.	9:36 a.m.
13	10:28 p.m.	9:54 a.m.
14	11:32 p.m.	10:11 a.m.
15	.....	10:30 a.m.
16	0:36 a.m.	10:50 a.m.
	(Last quarter on 16th)	
17	1:42 a.m.	11:14 a.m.
18	2:49 a.m.	11:44 a.m.
19	3:55 a.m.	11:22 p.m.
20	4:59 p.m.	1:10 p.m.
21	5:55 a.m.	2:09 p.m.
22	6:45 a.m.	3:20 p.m.
23	7:22 a.m.	4:27 p.m.
24	7:55 a.m.	5:38 p.m.
	(New moon on 24th)	
25	8:22 a.m.	7:30 p.m.
26	8:46 a.m.	8:41 p.m.
27	9:08 a.m.	10:02 p.m.
28	9:30 a.m.	11:22 p.m.
29	9:25 a.m.	.....
30	10:24 a.m.	0:42 a.m.
	(First quarter on 30th)	
31	10:59 a.m.	1:59 a.m.

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of January 24, 1886)

Opening of the House—The fourth session of the present Legislature will be formally opened at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, who will be furnished for the occasion with a guard of honor—a battery of Victoria Garrison Artillery, under Captain Prior. As usual, the clergy, bench and bar, Navy, and also the ladies, will be well represented, as audience of the Lieutenant-Governor's speech and witnesses of other formalities. The adjournment of the House for business may be only until the next or, at any rate, for not more than two or three days.

The Ontario Governorship—It is rumored that Mr. Kirkpatrick, Speaker of the House of Commons, is to be appointed Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, and the speakership offered to Lieutenant-Colonel Ouimet, M.P.

New Partner—Dr. A. M. Taylor, of this city, has admitted as a partner to his profession, R. B. Clark, M.D., M.R.C.S., of Ontario, who, with his family, is en route to this city. Dr. Clark comes well recommended, having had over twenty years' experience in the practice of medicine in Ontario, and his many former friends and acquaintances who have preceded him to this Province, will gladly welcome the doctor and his family to their midst.

Two Ward Meetings In Saanich Bring Campaign to Close

School Board and Police Commission Candidates Outline Policies to Electors in Wards Five And Six—Councillors Give Reports

THE brief but intensive four-day Saanich election campaign ended last night with meetings at Wards Five and Six, with two councillors, and police commission and school board candidates addressing the electors. Meetings for the two wards were held at Royal Oak Hall and Keating Temperance Hall, respectively.

Prior to both meetings, short periods of silence out of respect to His Late Majesty King George were held.

Councillors H. D. Coton and L. D. Hagan, returned by acclamation in Wards Five and Six, respectively, presented brief annual reports and reminded the audiences that Reeve William Crouch would speak this evening at 7:45 o'clock over C.F.C.T. and give the entire financial and statistical report for 1935.

TRUSTEE JEUNE

Trustee Walter P. Jeune presented a resume of school board costs during the past six years, and disclosed that during this period the Saanich School Board had saved municipal ratepayers some $57,028. Faced with curtailment of many grants, the school board had continued its policy of "considering the children first."

He explained that it had paid the municipality to build its own high schools. Transportation must be supplied to children residing more than three miles from a school, Trustee Jeune stated. He also reviewed the high-school age situation as it confronted the board, and stated that students arriving at the eighteen-year mark in mid-term were allowed to continue for a year, while those turning eighteen shortly before September, could appeal to the board for permission to attend high school.

TRUSTEE HULL

Trustee Albert E. Hull declared he had spent six years on the municipal school board. During the past three years he had served as chairman of the works and grounds committee. He corroborated financial statements given by Trustee Jeune.

Trustee Hull stated that if elected he would seek a continuation of the policy of putting Saanich schools into first-class condition. He declared the 1935 board was one of the finest Saanich had ever elected. The speaker contended that the school board had not received credit for effecting many economies. During the past year the board had spent over $7,200 on repairs to various Saanich schools, he said.

TRUSTEE ALDOUS

Trustee F. G. Aldous stated that during the two years he had served on the municipal school board he had brought about closer co-operation between the municipal school board and the teaching staff. This, he said, was accomplished by restoring increments to their original level, following a cut instituted in 1932. He declared that many statements issued at election time derogatory to the school board were not to be believed.

The speaker added that the board had opposed the erection of small schools in the municipality because of the excessive per capita cost the small schools entailed. A comparison was given, disclosing that one small school cost $103 per year per pupil, while a larger school cost $38 per year per pupil.

CHARLES HUNT

Charles Hunt, fourth candidate for school board declared that education was one of the most important duties of the municipality. He stated that education was primarily a Dominion responsibility. All text books, readers and equipment should be issued to school boards at cost, and then handed to the children free of charge for use at school.

Mr. Hunt was in favor of improving school grounds to the best possible shape with the money at hand. Added Government grants could be secured for this work, he contended. "I will take this work seriously and will give you a clean, honest and efficient administration," he said.

COMMISSIONER GODDARD

Police Commissioner Lewis W. Goddard stressed the work being done by the Saanich police board in assisting juvenile delinquents correct their "slips" from law and order. The board had adopted a policy of "give them another chance", rather than sending delinquents to the Industrial Home. According to statistics issued in the United States, he said, 5 per cent of all children in State institutions were of criminal tendencies. He declared that sending children to such homes was not good policy.

He denied that bootlegging was prevalent in the municipality, and said that eleven convictions for this infraction of the law had been secured in 1935. Saanich residents, he contended, were as decent and clean as any living in British Columbia municipalities. The board was available to ratepayers for questioning at all times, he said. "A square deal to all on my record of the past four years," was his platform, Commissioner Goddard concluded.

NOAH A. TIMMINS DEAD IN FLORIDA

Noted Mining Promoter Passes Away—Was One of Canada's Wealthiest Men

MONTREAL, Jan. 23 (C.P.)—Noah A. Timmins, Ontario lumberman and general storekeeper, who rose through a long mining career to the position of outstanding Canadian mining promoter, and partner in one of the richest gold mines in the world, died suddenly in hospital today at West Palm Beach.

Mr. Timmins, reputedly one of the wealthiest men in Canada, left Montreal about two weeks ago on his annual Winter trip to Florida. Associates said he was "not feeling up to the mark" when he left but he had not complained of illness.

He was stricken in the South Monday afternoon.

MOVE MAKES END OF MUELLER MIX-UP

ST. LOUIS.—Edward Conrad Mueller and Edwin Charles Mueller lived in the same apartment building and their families were friendly.

But the similarity of their names mixed up their mail, coal, furniture — practically everything they received.

Peace has been restored now—Edward Conrad Mueller moved away.

APPLES AT DISCOUNT

KANSAS CITY.—Western fruit jobbers like apples—or did. There are 200 bushels, with compliments of Idaho representatives, at their convention here.

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FUNERAL NOTICE

Officers and members of Colfax Rebekah Lodge No. 1, I.O.O.F., are requested to meet at the parlors of Sands Mortuary, Ltd., Friday, January 24, at 1:45 p.m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late sister, Jennie C. Munn. Visiting members invited. By order,

MARTHA D. DINSMORE, Noble Grand.
FRANCES A. WALKER, Rec. Secretary.

FUNERAL NOTICE

Members of Queen City Chapter No. 5, Order Eastern Star, will meet at Sands' Mortuary, on Saturday, January 25, 1936, at 1:30 p.m., for the purpose of attending the services of our late esteemed sister, Isabella Heatley.

Members of Sister Chapters are invited to attend. By order,

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Flood in Fertile Sacramento Valley

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B.C. CABINET HEARS VIEWS

Delegation From Railway Brotherhoods Speaks on Many Measures

A delegation representing the brotherhoods of locomotive engineers, firemen, railway trainmen, conductors and telegraphers met the Provincial Cabinet yesterday and presented their views on the Workmen's Compensation Act, Highway Traffic Act, regulations of motor vehicle transport, unemployment relief measures, labor representation on public boards and commissions, mothers' pensions, payment of ages, state health insurance and use of police in strikes.

Members of the delegation were: J. A. Shafer, Vancouver, Order of Railroad Conductors; H. Elliott, Vancouver, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen; A. H. MacIsaac, Spence's Bridge, Order of Railroad Telegraphers; A. Sutherland, Grand Forks, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen; H. Mackey, Vancouver, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, and W. L. Best, Ottawa, national legislative representative for the brotherhoods.

TRAFFIC REGULATIONS

Uniform traffic regulations in all provinces of Canada, and examination of all motor vehicle operators, were proposed by members of the delegation, who also asked for more effective control and regulation of motor transportation on the highways, saying it vitally affected the very existence of the steam transportation system. Reference was also made to the large yearly expenditure on roads throughout the various provinces. Members of the delegation pointed out the folly of destructive transportation competition.

The delegation favored promotion of programmes of necessary public works to relieve unemployment troubles, and asked that the "unnecessary use of police in strikes, lockouts, etc., be restricted."

OFFICERS CHOSEN

The Central Saanich Branch of the Young Socialist League completed eight months of successful activities with the election of new officers recently as follows: Pearl Wakeman, chairman; Roy Wootten, vice-chairman; John Parterson, recording secretary; Ruby Wootten, corresponding secretary; Arthur Anderson, treasurer; Ernie May, social convener, and Murray Bryce, educational chairman. The Young Socialist League is the British Columbia section of the Co-operative Commonwealth Youth Movement.

Judge (in traffic court)—I'll let you off with a fine this time, but another day I'll send you to jail.

Driver—Sort of a weather forecast, eh, Judge?

Judge—What do you mean?

Driver—Fine today—cooler tomorrow.

Says Government Pledge on Polls Is Being Ignored

BREAKING a silence on political matters that has persisted for some time, Rev. Robert Connell, leader of the official Opposition in the Legislature, censured the British Columbia Government sharply yesterday for failure to keep a pledge that seats left vacant in the Legislature would be filled at the coming session. While weather might intervene in Omineca, there had been plenty of time to call the by-election in Vancouver-Burrard, and the people had expected this would be done, Mr. Connell said.

CULBERTSON on CONTRACT

By Ely Culbertson

World's Champion Player and Greatest Card Analyst

BOTH LUCK AND SKILL

I am indebted to Mr. Lee Schmertz, of Pittsburgh, for an interesting hand. His letter, in expurgated form, is as follows: "I enjoy the unenviable distinction of having a rampant imagination that sometimes has dire results. Not always, however. I made five spades against an opponent who had bid one spade, first hand, holding six spades to the K J 9, and the ace-king of hearts."

NORTH
♠ —
♥ 10 8 7 3
♦ Q 10 4 3
♣ A Q 10 7 5

WEST
♠ —
♥ Q J 9 6 5 4 2
♦ 9 8 7 6
♣ K 8

EAST
♠ K J 9 7 5 4
♥ A K
♦ 5 2
♣ J 9 4

SOUTH
♠ A Q 10 8 6 3 2
♥ —
♦ A K J
♣ 6 3 2

Again quoting: "East bid one spade, and I (South) disdainfully bid four spades. I was doubled by East with great glee."

I must point out the obvious—that South was blessed with an inordinate amount of luck in picking up such a dummy. And if this is Mr. Schmertz' regular bidding system, I confess that I would be a trifle nervous as his parter. As he says, however, the play of the hand was interesting.

Declarer ruffed the opening heart lead, and immediately finessed for the club king. A second heart was ruffed and then the ace and jack of diamonds were played, dummy's queen overtaking the second round. A third heart ruff, while East discarded a club, reduced South to four trumps. Now the ace of clubs was cashed, followed by the fourth heart. East ruffed and South overruffed. Now the ace of diamonds had to be ruffed by East, who was reduced to trumps, and the trump return finessed. The process was then repeated—South's last club forced East to lead to South's last two cards—the A Q of trumps. East's two ruffs were the only tricks taken by the defenders.

TODAY'S QUESTION

Question—My partner and I bid a grand slam in spades and went down one trick because the king of trumps was on the wrong side for a finesse. My partner remarked that we should have been satisfied with a small slam. I disagreed, saying that the even chance we had had of picking up the king made it a "good percentage bid." Who is right?

Answer—Your partner is right. To have the "percentage" in your favor, when you jeopardize a small slam, you should have at least a two-to-one chance in favor of the higher contract.

TOMORROW'S HAND

NORTH
♠ A K Q 9 8 6
♥ A K Q 5 3 2
♦ A
♣ —

WEST
♠ J 10 7
♥ 6
♦ K 7 5
♣ A K Q 10 3 2

EAST
♠ —
♥ J 10 9 7
♦ Q J 10
♣ J 9 8 7 6 5

SOUTH
♠ 5 4 3 2
♥ 6 4
♦ 9 8 6 4 3 2
♣ 4

West, dealer.

Mr. Culbertson will discuss this hand in Tuesday's article.

HEALTH EXPERT IS HEARD HERE

Dr. Robert G. Jackson Addresses Large Audience in Shrine Hall

Dressed in a light grey Summer suit, tan sport shoes, a powder blue shirt with a red and black striped tie, seventy-seven-year-old Dr. Robert G. Jackson proved to an audience which filled every available seat in Shrine Hall last evening that years do not necessarily mean old age. He was introduced by Alderman Walter Luney, an old friend of forty-six years ago.

Dr. Jackson told the audience that the chief causes of physical and mental inelasticity were mistakes in the habits of living. Man, he said, possessed a food canal adapted to a primitive diet, and the canal could not function as it should unless there was a proper balance of natural, vital and alkali-forming foods.

Instead of the average person consuming a total of four-fifths natural and vital foods, he usually ate about 1 per cent. Protoplasm, which makes up body cells, he pointed out, could only live in an alkaline medium, and a normal alkaline reserve was necessary in the bloodstream as a measure against fatigue, disease and old age.

SOIL DEFICIENT

Dr. Jackson stated that soil in many parts of Canada and the United States was deficient in minerals. This meant that crops grown in such soil were lacking in mineral content. He told of the disastrous effect of polished rice upon pigeons, asserting that this cereal was polished with talcum powder.

When acid accumulated in the bloodstream, the blood became ropy. This resulted in many men and women in their early forties being sluggish mentally and physically, he said. In time, rich foods and lack of exercise caused many of the muscles to atrophy.

The speaker said safety valves of the body were colds, low fevers and other minor diseases. They were caused by the body attempting to throw off accumulations of debris. Immunity to disease and even physical perfection could only be obtained through proper food and necessary exercise.

WHAT TO EAT

Dr. Jackson urged the audience to eat almonds, brazil nuts, all vegetables, fruits, and milk from cows fed upon grass, because these were all vital, natural and alkali-forming foods. He told how man at the dawn of history ate natural foods before the use of fire was discovered. Consumption of highly refined foods he classed as an age-old racial habit.

Stressing the fact that life is activity, Dr. Jackson assured those present that they could regain lost health and strength through proper food and exercise. Because of improper food, he said only 2 per cent of any group of average persons were really able to think, but 98 per cent actually believed their brains were functioning in the right manner.

Dr. Jackson this evening in Shrine Hall, will deal with "Health Education."

THIS NATURAL FOOD GENTLY REGULATES YOUR SYSTEM

Furnishes Needed "Bulk" for Regular Habits

Your doctor will tell you that *keeping* healthy depends far more on proper diet than on drugs, that common constipation is usually due to insufficient "bulk" in meals, and that patent medicines give you only temporary relief.

Kellogg's ALL-BRAN supplies gently acting "bulk" which *corrects the cause* of common constipation.* This "bulk" takes up moisture, forming a soft mass which helps to cleanse the system.

ALL-BRAN gives your body the regular *internal* exercise it needs to prevent sluggishness. ALL-BRAN also furnishes vitamin B and iron.

Careful studies on men and women have shown that this delicious cereal is perfectly satisfactory. Serve ALL-BRAN regularly for regularity, with milk or cream—or use in cooking.

Two tablespoonfuls daily are usually sufficient. ALL-BRAN is much more effective than part-bran products. Avoid disappointment—get Kellogg's ALL-BRAN at your grocer's. Made by Kellogg in London, Ontario.

*Constipation due to insufficient "bulk."

That Body of Yours

(By James W. Barton, M.D.)

THE LIVER, FOOD, AND WAKEFULNESS

I often speak about the liver—the king of the organs—because of the great amount and the importance of its daily work. It does more different jobs than any other organ and has to do them in such a big or wholesale manner. Of course, the heart, which is only a few ounces compared to the liver's six pounds in weight, has the important job of pumping blood, but that is its whole job. The little glands, pituitary at base of brain, thyroid in the neck, adrenal situated one on top of each kidney, have most important jobs yet weight scarcely anything, but the liver carries on despite the various forms of damage that occur to it. In fact, as mentioned before, practically two of every three persons have some irritation or inflammation of liver and gall bladder and yet perhaps only one in a hundred has real trouble.

Recent investigations would seem to show that the liver has a regular routine or system of performing two of its important jobs, that is the storing away of glycogen (sugar) for future use, and the manufacture of bile to assist digestion and stimulate bowel action.

"It appears that in man there is probably in the liver the greatest amount of bile being manufactured when the least amount of glycogen is being stored, and the greatest amount of glycogen is being stored when least bile is being manufactured. According to research workers the least glycogen is being manufactured at noon and the most after midnight. While taking food may affect this routine to some extent, nevertheless this general rule is maintained."

These facts are of interest to physicians treating diabetic patients as it has been found that insulin is more effective at certain times than others.

This fact of the daily routine of the liver in storing its largest amount of glycogen at night—about eight hours after the evening meal—is thought to be the cause of sleepiness or wakefulness about two o'clock in the morning in certain individuals. Eating their large meal of starchy and fat foods—potatoes, bread, sugar, sweets, puddings, cream—at the noon hour instead of at six o'clock, might be of some help, but would certainly not tend to keep them alert for mental work in the afternoons.

A Lisbon man who swallowed a buttonhook has been operated upon three times for its recovery, but without success. It is feared he will have to buy another.

DR. JACKSON COMES HOME

Seventy-Seven-Year-Old Visitor May Again Take Up Residence in City

With eyes sparkling, and bubbling over with energy, Dr. Robert G. Jackson, Toronto, known throughout Canada and the United States as a maker of health foods and a wonder to medical science for his return to youth, came "home" to Victoria, yesterday.

The balmy weather yesterday reflected Dr. Jackson's mood and his seventy-seven years rested lightly on his shoulders which twenty-seven years ago were the biggest part of a wrecked human frame. Through diet and extensive exercise, Dr. Jackson made one of the greatest known comebacks from premature ageing.

MAY LIVE HERE

"I came here to live and engage in business in the Five Sisters' Block fifty years ago, and I still call Victoria, home," declared Dr. Jackson with a chuckle, as he seated himself in an easy chair in his room at the Empress Hotel, last night. Turning his eyes to the windows, he spoke of the "glory of Victoria," its cleanliness, devoid of smoke and smudge.

Turning his gaze again to newspaper reporters, this remarkable man admitted he was seriously considering taking up his permanent residence in Victoria. Just when he was unprepared to say as, he explained, he was passionately fond of his work, which necessitates that he travel many thousands of miles each year and attend to matters in Toronto.

Dr. Jackson stated he was engaged in a men and women's clothing store here for thirteen years. On the urgings of the late Dr. Ernest Hall, of this city, he took up the study of medicine in Philadelphia, after which he practised medicine for eighteen years in Philadelphia, Tacamo, Toronto and Buffalo.

HEALTH BREAKS

After this he broke down completely in health, and at fifty was a "total wreck," according to his own assertion. Then he turned to his own preparations and "moved closer to Nature," with the result he won a $1,000 prize in a physical culture contest against all comers. Since that time he has rapidly grown younger, and today he has muscles that many a young man would be glad to possess, and his fine healthy skin is the admiration of women all over the country.

Dr. Jackson delights in defying disease, has not suffered a cold in many decades, wears no undercloth ing, and has not owned an overcoat in years. He suffers little fatigue poisoning and thus needs only five hours' rest each night, arising every morning at 4 o'clock. When in Toronto, he arises at 4 a.m., enjoys an hour's strenuous exercise, plunges into a cold bath, then sets out on a seven-mile walk and run to his office, where he breakfasts. The journey home at night, between 8:30 and 9 o'clock, is made on foot. His average time for the seven miles is ninety minutes.

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FINAL TRIBUTE PAID DEPARTED

Funeral Services for Major Peter J. Riddell Attended by Many Friends

Funeral services for Major Peter J. Riddell, former school trustee and superintendent of works, were held yesterday afternoon in the presence of many friends and associates.

Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson officiated at the service, which was opened with prayer and followed by the singing of "O God, Our Help in Ages Past."

Lessons from the Scriptures then were read, after which Dr. Wilson led in prayer, and the service was brought to a close by the singing of "A Few More Years Shall Roll."

A wealth of beautiful flowers was received, floral tributes being sent by the board of school trustees, carpenters and gardeners of Boys' Central School, Victoria and District Teachers' Association, Janitors and Engineers' Association, staff of Victoria College, and officers and members of St. Andrew's Lodge, A.F. & A.M., and Columbia Royal Arch Chapter No. 1, and others.

The pallbearers were Colonel Lorne Ross, Trustee W. C. Moresby, K.C.; E. N. Horsey, Richard Angus, James Forman and J. J. Collison.

The remains were forwarded to Seattle for cremation.

TIMES CHANGE FOR VETERAN ACTORS

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 23 (A.P.)—Juanita Hansen, who claimed she earned a million dollars in twenty-one years on the stage and screen, worked today for $94 a month—one of 1,000 unemployed theatrical folk in a Federal theatre project.

Ivan Christy, another veteran actor, is with her in a comedy entitled, "The Sap."

Johnny had been the guest of honor at a party the day before and his friend was regarding him enviously.

"How was it? Have a good time?" he asked.

"Did I?" was the emphatic answer. "I ain't hungry yet!"

LOOK OUT FOR THE "COMMON COLD"!

These Are the Dangerous Days When Colds Are Easiest to Catch!

The Sensible Thing in Treatment

How often have you seen it—a cold today and something worse tomorrow?

That's the worst part about a "common cold." It's so easy to catch but hard to get rid of.

If you treat it carelessly—try to fight it off without taking the necessary precautions to drive it right out of your system, then you're in for trouble.

Statistics prove that the average person loses ten days' work a year on account of colds. This is a pretty heavy tax to pay for colds.

Something to Watch

If there's anything you want to watch, it's the "common cold." Health authorities on every side urge it.

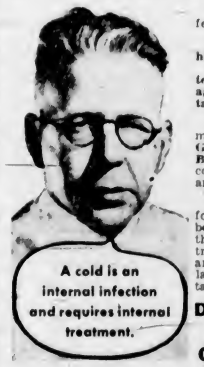
Don't take *any* cold lightly. Don't try to laugh it off. The cold that may be only a sneeze or a sniffle today may be a bed case tomorrow. Regard a cold seriously. Treat it for what it is—an *internal infection*.

As an internal infection it is quite apparent that a cold requires *internal treatment*. To get at the real trouble, you must get at a cold from *within* with a treatment that attacks the cold *at its source*.

An excellent thing to take for a cold is **Grove's Laxative Bromo Quinine.**

Fourfold Effect

First of all, **Grove's Laxative Bromo Quinine** is expressly a cold tablet. It has only one purpose, the treatment of colds. Working internally it gets at a cold in the right way, *from the inside*.



A cold is an internal infection and requires internal treatment.

It does the four definite things of vital importance in the relief of a cold.

(1) **It opens the bowels, an admittedly advisable step in the treatment of a cold.**

(2) **It checks the fever in the system.**

(3) **It relieves the headache and fever.**

(4) **It tones the system and helps fortify against further attack.**

A fourfold treatment, in other words, **Grove's Laxative Bromo Quinine** accomplishes definite and speedy results.

For more than forty years it has been the stand-by of thousands in the treatment of colds and is today the largest-selling cold tablet in the world.

Don't Daily—Don't Compromise!

When you feel a cold coming on, do something about it right away. Don't daily, don't compromise. Go right to your druggist and get a package of **Grove's Laxative Bromo Quinine.**

Start taking the tablets immediately, two at a time. Usually, if taken promptly, **Grove's Laxative Bromo Quinine** will check a cold in 24 hours—and that's the action you want!

All drug stores sell **Grove's Laxative Bromo Quinine.** When you ask for it, insist upon getting what you ask for. The few pennies' cost may save you a lot of anxiety.

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PORK AND BEANS, Royal City, 16 oz. At	3 tins 22¢
COCOA, Neilson's	½-lb. tin 19¢
PEACHES, Lynn, 2's	tin 17¢
PEARS, Mack's Best, 2's	tin 13¢
MALT, D.C.L.	3-lb. tin $1.15
TEA, Nabob	lb. 42¢

SPECIAL LIBBY'S PRODUCTS: 3 Tins Tomato Juice, large. 1 Bottle Tomato Ketchup 3 Tins Tomato Soup Regular Value 67c, for 58¢
TOMATOES, 2½'s 2 tins 21¢

BANQUET COFFEE — FINEST Fresh Ground Per Lb. 45¢

SOAPS
PEARL WHITE— At 3 bars 10¢
LIFEBUOY— At 3 bars 24¢
GOLD DUST— Cleanser tin 6¢

BUTTER Alberta 3 lbs. 88¢ | EGGS Grade A (Large) Doz. 27¢ | SHORTENING Jewel Lb. 15¢

Candy Specials

CHOCOLATE ECLAIRS	2 lbs. 15¢
GINGER SNAPS	2 lbs. 27¢
CREAMS and JELLIES, assorted	lb. 20¢
HARD MIXED CANDY	lb. 15¢
JELLY BEANS, Jumbo	lb. 23¢

Cash and Carry Meats

MUTTON—	
Shoulders	lb. 8¢
Loins	lb. 10¢
Legs	lb. 15¢
Chops	2 lbs. 25¢
LAMB—	
Shoulders	lb. 13¢
Stewing	lb. 10¢
BEEF—	
Pot Roast	lb. 10¢
Brisket	lb. 8¢

Fresh Fish

WHITING, filleted	lb. 15¢
SOLES—We clean them	2 lbs. 25¢
OOLICANS	lb. 15¢
SALMON, White Spring	lb. 20¢

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CASH AND CARRY

BUTTER, Alberta, lb. 29¢	3 lbs. 85¢
CHEESE, Mild	lb. 17¢
TEA, Reception	lb. 35¢
COFFEE, Blue Ribbon	lb. 34¢
BAKING POWDER, Magic, 1's	tin 28¢
WALNUTS, Pieces	lb. 23¢
STRAWBERRY JAM, Reception	4-lb. tin 48¢
WHEAT HEARTS	5-lb. sack 25¢
FLOUR, Wild Rose	10-lb. sack 44¢

Fruits and Vegetables

ORANGES, Sweet, Juicy. Special,	25 for 25¢
GRAPEFRUIT, Seedless	7 for 25¢
LEMONS, Thin Skin	doz. 18¢
APPLES, Cooking	8 lbs. 25¢
TOMATOES, Mexican	lb. 20¢
POTATOES, Netted Gem	10 lbs. 19¢
ONIONS— At	8 lbs. 19¢
RHUBARB— At	2 lbs. 15¢
LETTUCE— Each	5¢ and 10¢
CAULIFLOWER— Each	10¢ and 15¢

Meat Specials, Delivered

PORK Choice Grain Fed		BEEF Choice Quality	
Shoulders	lb. 12¢	Prime Rib (Cut Short)	lb. 25¢
Loins	lb. 25¢	Rump Roasts, lb.	18¢
Legs	lb. 22¢	Tip Roasts	lb. 18¢
Side, fresh or pickled	lb. 15¢	Rolled Roasts, lb.	15¢
Sausage 2 lbs.	35¢		
Dry Salt	lb. 20¢		
VEAL		LAMB	
Shoulders	lb. 15¢	Shoulders	lb. 15¢
Legs	lb. 22¢	Legs	lb. 28¢
Rump	lb. 22¢	Loins	lb. 28¢
Turkeys (12 to 16 lbs.)	lb. 30¢	Roast Pork	lb. 45¢
FOWL (3 to 4 lbs.)	lb. 20¢	Boiled Ham,	lb. 45¢
Sweetbreads,	lb. 25¢	Corned Beef,	lb. 15¢
Rabbits	lb. 15¢	Headcheese,	lb. 15¢

MAYONNAISE—Fresh Made lb. 25¢
BACON, Fletcher's, Side lb. 35¢
HAMS, Fletcher's, Whole or Shank lb. 25¢
PICKLED ROLLS, Sweet lb. 20¢
BACON, Choice lb. 30¢

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NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Tourist Trade Development Association of Victoria and Vancouver Island (incorporated under the "Societies Act," February 7, 1935) will be held in Spencer's dining-room at 12:15 p.m. on Friday, January 31, 1936.

The meeting is open to registered members of the association and subscribers to the funds of the association.

Luncheon will be served at 12:15 p.m. at 40 cents, and business will commence at 1.

Mayor David Leeming in the chair.

THREE SHIPS ASHORE IN ATLANTIC GALE

BALTIMORE, Jan. 23 (AP).—Efforts to free three vessels, two of which were driven aground in a gale, were abandoned today until the wind abated over the Baltimore Harbor.

The Danish steamer Maryland was aground off the municipal airport bulkhead and the Norwegian motorship Dagrun was driven ashore near Fort McHenry. The steamer Marore had been aground near Baltimore Light since yesterday.

None of the ships was considered in any danger.

"I've eaten beef all my life, and now I'm as strong as an ox."

"That's funny; I've eaten fish quite a bit and I can't swim a stroke."

FOR HEALTHY CHILDREN

ROGERS' GOLDEN RECIPES

"Diplomatic" BREAD PUDDING

2 cups coarsely grated bread crumbs
½ cup beef suet, finely minced
1 cup currants
1 cup flour
½ teaspoon salt
1 cup Rogers Golden Syrup
½ teaspoon cinnamon
½ teaspoon nutmeg
1 teaspoon ginger
2 eggs
1 cup boiling water

Add the boiling water to the crumbs and suet. Add the other ingredients and the well beaten eggs last. Place in a pudding mold, cover, and steam for 2 hours.

Note.—This is delicious served with spiced currant sauce.

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Land Committee Will Consider Lease Proposal

Alderman Dr. J. D. Hunter, at last night's meeting of the City Council, submitted a proposal that the council secure power from the Provincial Legislature to grant ninety-nine-year leases on city property.

At present the city is confined to twenty-year leases. The proposal was sent to the lands committee for its consideration.

Mistress—Mary, if that's Mrs. Gabber, I'm not in.

Mary (returning)—It was, ma'am and she was very glad to hear it.

Announcements

Moles, Warts, Superfluous Hair, all these hateful blemishes which make miserable the lives of sensitive men and women may be removed with absolute safety by electrolysis. It is impossible to be unconscious of a fact which stares one in the face every time one picks up a mirror. Moreover, is it not foolish to put up with something so unbeautiful when one need not. Consultations are free of any obligation. Will you not investigate? The cost will not frighten you. Miss Hanman, 503 Sayward Bldg. Phone G 7642.

Our Printing Brings Results. A well-designed and attractive label on your goods will always bring you business. Let us show you samples of our work. The Colonist, 1211 Broad Street. Phone G 5241.

Your Finger Wave Thoroughly Dried in Fifteen Minutes. Everybody agrees it's marvelous. Firth Brothers Beauty Parlors, 635 Fort Street.

Annual dinner of Burns Club, February 1, 7 p.m., Empress Hotel; tickets $1.50; dress, optional.

Harry S. Hay, F.A.A.O., Optometrist, Fort Street (opposite Times).

"Aren't you ashamed? You cannot stand upright."

"I don't want to stand upright—it is time for bed."—Muskete, Vienna.

City and District

Money Stolen — T. C. Brooker, 1053 Burdett Avenue, reported to police $2.50 was stolen from his home recently.

Meeting Changed — The annual meeting of Pro Patria Branch, Canadian Legion, to have been held on Tuesday, will not take place until February 4 at 8 p.m.

Meeting Postponed—The meeting of the Victoria Junior Chamber of Commerce, scheduled to be held tonight, has been postponed until next Friday at 8 p.m., owing to the death of His Majesty King George V.

Says Bridge Approved — Premier Pattullo reiterated yesterday that Federal approval has now been fully granted for the $3,500,000 toll bridge over the Fraser River, which is expected to bear his name.

Luncheon Postponed — Hubert Lethaby, secretary of the Real Estate Board of Victoria, last night announced that the luncheon of the board, scheduled for today, had been postponed until next Friday.

Truck Parking—The question of restricting angle parking for trucks and buses in the downtown area was referred to the public works executive by the City Council last night.

Votes of Sympathy — Standing votes of sympathy were passed by the City Council last night to those bereaved by the death of Mrs. Thomas Heatley and by the death of Major Peter J. Riddell.

Close Liquor Stores—Liquor control vendors' stores and public beer parlors will be closed on Tuesday by Provincial order, out of respect to the death of His Majesty King George V, it was announced officially yesterday.

Memorial Service—The Church of Our Lord, Free Church of England, will hold a memorial service in memory of His Late Majesty King George V, on Tuesday morning, at 11 o'clock.

Functions Cancelled — All dances, socials and entertainments planned by Army and Navy Veterans in Canada, Victoria Unit, No. 12, have been cancelled up to and including next Tuesday. On Wednesday evening, the unit will sponsor an old-time dance.

Solemn Requiem—There will be a Solemn Requiem at the Queen of Peace Church on Tuesday at 10 a.m. for His Late Majesty King George V, on behalf of the Catholic members and ex-members of His Majesty's forces in the city. Permission has been granted for uniforms and medals to be worn.

Japanese Dance—Dressed in their colorful national costumes, eight diminutive Japanese maidens gave two dances of their country for members of the Rotary Club at the Empress Hotel yesterday. Music was furnished by Japanese records on a phonograph. Herbert J. Pendray, president of the club, handed each performer a bag of candy.

Defer Banquet—The complimentary banquet to be tendered in Vancouver to Mr. Justice A. M. Manson, recently appointed to the Supreme Court, and which was set for next Saturday has been deferred until Saturday, February 1, owing to the death of His Majesty King George V.

Service Tonight — Rabbi Marcus Berner will hold a memorial service in memory of His Late Majesty King George V at the regular weekly meeting at 8 o'clock tonight of the synagogue at the corner of Blanshard Street and Pandora Avenue. The rabbi will give a brief eulogy under the title, "A Good and Great King Passes."

By-Law Explained—Councillor A. G. Lambrick last night explained the zoning by-law for Ward Three, which will be voted on at Saturday's election in Saanich. He was speaking at a Ward Three Ratepayers' Association meeting. He urged every ratepayer to vote on Saturday. A vote of confidence in Councillor Lambrick was passed.

Buildings Draped — Besides the main entrance to the Legislative Buildings, the Empress Hotel and the Canadian Pacific boat terminal will be draped in mourning for the death of His Majesty King George V.— Provincial officials yesterday draped the large portrait of His late Majesty that hangs in the Legislative Assembly Chamber.

Annual Meeting Today — The Lord's Day Alliance of British Columbia will hold its annual meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in the school hall of Metropolitan United Church. The public is invited to attend. Rt. Rev. W. R. Adams, Bishop of Kootenay, president of the organization, will give the principal address, and Rev. G. G. Webber, Western field secretary of the alliance, will present his report.

Concert Tonight—A free concert, arranged by Frank Merryfield, will be presented in the Citizens' Recreation Rooms tonight at 8 o'clock. The following will take part in the programme: Rowles Boys' Band, selections; Archie Jasper, concertina solo; E. Antropus, violin solo; Eric Chalmers, impersonations; Frances Merryfield, dancing; Frank Merryfield, magic and illusion, and other numbers. S. Russell will be the accompanist.

Pay Silent Tribute—At the executive meeting of the Veterans of France, held last night in their clubrooms, a silent tribute was paid to the memory of His Late Majesty King George V. A cablegram was sent to the secretary of the late King, and was worded as follows: "Veterans of France of Victoria, B.C., join with other outposts of our glorious Empire to mourn the loss of our late beloved Sovereign." The annual meeting, when nomination and election of officers will take place, has been postponed from January 30 to Thursday, February 6.

Fines Are Imposed—In accordance with the police commission's instructions to Chief Allan Rankin, an active drive is being made against bicycles riding without lights after dark in the municipality, and yesterday in Saanich Court, Magistrate Jay fined five youths $3 each when they pleaded guilty to this charge. Chief Rankin advises all cyclists that a close watch will be kept along all main roads in the municipality. He explains that bicycles without proper lights create a menace on highways and make for greater accidents.

Charges Withdrawn—After a consultation between counsel and the principals in the cases in which Irwin Haywood, William McFarlane and Bruce Seobie were charged with assaulting Bernard Dalziel and a counter-charge was laid against the latter, the whole matter was settled by withdrawal of the charges. The suggestion was made to the police magistrate by the city prosecutor, C. L. Harrison, on the opening of the police court yesterday, who said he thought that such a consultation might be the wisest way to settle the matter.

COUNCIL HEARS POLITICAL TALK

Argument on Permanency of Relief Work Ends in Draw Declared By Mayor Leeming

A list of permanent works being undertaken with the $100,000 loaned the city by the Provincial Government and part of a political speech were read at last night's meeting of the council to settle an argument as to whether Alderman R. A. C. Dewar or Alderman Edward Williams was right or wrong.

It ended in a draw, declared by the Mayor, in order to close the matter.

Alderman Dewar claimed Alderman Williams said no permanent works were done with the $100,000, while Alderman Williams claimed he did not. The latter made his position clear by reading extracts from his campaign speeches, but had to admit that he had said that the city did not do permanent work with its relief labor. However, he denied having said that no permanent work was done with the $100,000.

The Mayor and Alderman Dewar enlightened the new alderman on a few of the permanent works carried out with relief labor, and the Mayor concluded by saying that 80 per cent of the work was permanent.

"Yes, dear," she said to her friend over tea. "My husband, I assure you, is the only man who has ever kissed me." "Really, darling? Er—but, tell me, are you bragging or complaining?"

"What would you like for your birth-day, Tommy?"

"Oh, a telephone, Dad. Then I can answer teacher's questions without going to school."

Some Noteworthy Styles

BY BETTY BROWNLEE

WHEN you hear a person remarking sagely that "there's nothing new under the sun," you may be sure that he is not considering the world of fashions.

One of the newest and smartest innovations in resort fashions is the oiled silk robe for beach wear.

The question of what to wear as a beach robe is always a problem to the girl who really swims. Of course, she whose idea of a day at the beach is just to lie about basking in the sunlight has no problem at all. The shops are filled with fascinating robes and pyjamas in which she may bask glamorously. But the girl who swims rather dreads putting on a lovely costume over a wet bathing suit. And if she is practical and brings along just a pair of slacks or a nondescript robe which she doesn't mind wetting, that's just too sad—especially if she has a nice figure. For what use are lovely curves if one can't disclose them?

But the new robe answers all the problems. The one illustrated today is in white and, worn over a black silk lastex suit, lends allure to the figure and at the same time has its practical aspects. It is not damaged by a wet suit. The suit in turn doesn't become messy-looking from sitting on the sand, and another nice feature is the hood, which protects the coiffeur on windy days.

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EXTENSION OF TIME GRANTED

Motion Picture Producers Have Until February 29 to Accept City's Offer

An extension of time was granted Isadore Barsky and George Schneiderman, motion picture producer, in which to complete an agreement with the city for the use of the B.C. Worsted Mill building as a film studio when the City Council met last night.

The recommendation of the business and trades development committee was adopted. This recommendation, based on a proposal advanced by Alderman Stanley Okell, is that the extension be granted to February 29, but that the terms of the existing agreement be changed.

The motion picture producers will raise the roof of the building at a cost of $3,500, and will be given the building rent free until reimbursed for this expenditure. It will take six years to reimburse the producers. However, if they remain in the plant less than that time the city will not be out of pocket on alteration costs.

At present the agreement reads that the city make the alterations and that the producers put up a bond of $2,500 of good faith, and with the installation of the film equipment that the city be given a lien on the apparatus as a bond of good faith that they will continue to produce for a period of at least six months.

Soccer Chatter

By A.F.A.N.

First of all, a vote of thanks and hearty congratulations from all Victoria fans to the four clubs for their wise decision to enter their United team in the Dominion championship series. It will, of course, be a bigger undertaking than has been experienced by the separate clubs in seasons gone by; because there is every encouragement in the United's play to give us hope that they will travel far beyond the limits of British Columbia.

I overheard Stronge, the Royals goalie, remarking on the splendid play of the United, inform his listeners that we can never play like that in Vancouver. Unfortunately, in the past this has been so, and we lost the one game there this season. But we only lost through weakness in front of goal, as we seem to have overcome that handicap, I think the Mainlander fans will have an eye-opener next time we visit them.

The locals deserve all the praise that the fans and the press gave them last Saturday. If we add to that last week's game the fact that in all probability Stewart will not have lost his shooting boots another time, we have every right to expect Victoria to win the Inter-City League for the second year in succession. What would have been the score if the Royals goalkeeper had not played a miraculous game?

It was surprising how the much dreaded forward line of Westminster failed in front of goal. Without in any way detracting from the sound defence put up by De Costa, it can be said that Royals forwards are not the goalgetters that our own first line is. Coulter's one goal was a clever one, but our wing to wing was more effective than their forward thrusts through the centre.

Of course, the hero of the defence was Gibbons. With his lightning rushes he demonstrated that even Coulter and Turner can be beaten by pace and accuracy, and I fancy the Royals rather wished that they had a couple of backs as aggressive as were Gibbons and Essler. The two halfback lines were for a time evenly matched, but half way through the second half, when the home team took full charge of the game, Barnes, Boyd and Williams showed up far superior to their visitors.

Considering the sloppy state of the field, our forwards played a surprisingly accurate game. Very few, if any, shots went quite wide, very many were straight and well placed, all the more credit to Stronge while their passing, short and long in variation, was clever and effective. Especially spectacular were several that went from Payne to Bell, Bell to Morgan, Morgan to Stewart, and Stewart to Watt.

Royals' backs grousned about the penalty that gave Victoria the last goal of the game. I was closer even than the referee. Bell was through, with the ball in control at his toes, and had only the goalkeeper to beat. But not once, nor twice, but three times, when he wanted to shoot, his heels were tapped, and finally the ball was out of his control. Bell was robbed of a certain goal, and a penalty was his just reward.

The only disappointment of the afternoon was caused by the hundreds of regular fans who evidently thought that the weather would spoil the game, so they stayed away. They should know by now that the United is a team of mudlarks, that several times they have given us the sweetest thrills in the dirtiest weather. Of course, a team from the Mainland ought to be better accustomed to foul weather than we are, but it does not seem so. We feel sorry for those absentees, for they missed a treat.

Although the Acting Premier was on hand and kicked off, one would have thought, by the series of happy audiences that he gave, that Jack Coulter was the guest of the afternoon. We are proud of this man, the cleverest centre forward that we have given the Mainland for many years, and many of his friends and admirers showed it at half time. Coulter's cleverness consists chiefly in his positioning, always on the verge of offside, sometimes over the verge, but always a menace to the defence who dare not leave him alone.

The grandstand does not reflect much credit on its designer. It may possibly have some effect on the attendance, and, as the chairman of the Parks Board was there in person, I hoped he noticed that on a wet day at least half of the seats are uninhabitable. The roof is the wrong shape, and even had it sheltered us, we still could not sit on the seats, which were swimming with a week's rain.

It is not nearly so draughty on the sidelines as it is in the stand, and if you are fortunate to find a dry seat left, ten to one it is empty because a pillar hides three-quarters of the field from your view. Of course it seems ungrateful to grouse after the good work done on the showers and dressing rooms, but facts is facts.

Of course, on the season's play, none will expect the Thistles to beat Esquimalt on Saturday. But the beauty of the game lies in its uncertainties, and is quite possible that with a week or two of rest, Saanich may be feeling like giving the Dockers and their fans a jolt. If they have strengthened up their forward line there is no reason to lay odds on Esquimalt.

The tit-bit of the week-end will be the game at Nanaimo on Sunday, and as usual, a large contingent of fans will travel up in the hope of seeing the United still further strengthen the hold they have on the top position. As there will be no cup games with Nanaimo this season, there will not be so many games as there were last year, and as these games seem to be the most popular of the lot, the crowd travelling will probably be larger than usual.

If the United go on as they are going, and if the Victoria Ruggers do as well as they hope to against the All-Blacks on Wednesday, we shall have every reason for pride in our town as a football town.

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Memorial Service

A memorial service for King George V will be held by the Jewish community at the Temple Emanuel Synagogue, corner of Blanshard Street and Pandora Avenue, on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Rabbi Marcus Berner will officiate.

PLAYING FIELDS TO BE REGRADED

Two more sports fields are to be put in shape in the city. This was decided last night by the council, on the recommendation of the parks board.

The playing field on the east side of Central Park is to be regraded, and the playing field in Beacon Hill Park, near Douglas and Niagara Streets, is to be completed.

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Heartfelt Tribute Paid By I.O.D.E. to Late King

Sympathy of Municipal Chapter Expressed by Regent—Reports and Plans for Future Work Are Discussed at Meeting

Mrs. William Ellis, regent of Victoria Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., paid a sincere tribute to the memory of His Late Majesty the King at the opening of the chapter's monthly meeting at headquarters yesterday afternoon.

Her words were as follows: "It is with sad hearts that we open the first meeting of 1936, the passing of our beloved sovereign, King George V., being uppermost in our minds. Our sympathy and loyalty as women and as Daughters of the Empire go out to the sorrowing queen, who has lost a devoted husband and companion, by whose side she stood in happy early days and through the dark days of the Great War, sharing the burden of ruling an Empire on which the sun never sets. We owe a great debt of gratitude to our late sovereign, who, possessing broad vision, was ever on the side of peace and progress.

"To his son, Edward VIII, so well known and beloved by all, we express our loyalty and devotion, confident we have in him a ruler worthy to follow in the footsteps of a noble father. To the Royal Family we extend our deepest sympathy and mourn with them the passing of one so dear to our Empire."

MEMORIAL TRIBUTES

The chapter also stood in silent tribute to the memory of the late Miss Wigley and of Dame Clara Butt. Sixteen chapters were represented at the meeting. Mrs. E. O. Weston read her report, and the secretary requested that Provincial councillor nomination papers be filled in and returned as soon as possible and asked the primary chapters for the names of members who have passed away during the year.

Mrs. F. F. Beckett read a report of the secondary education committee which told of the excellent progress of various bursary holders. Mrs. A. H. C. Phipps, the organizing secretary, who was absent on account of ill-health, sent in a report by letter, which was read. In the absence of Mrs. George Miles, the child welfare report was read. Twenty-five hampers, as well as clothing and milk, had been sent at Christmas time to needy families.

It was with regret that the chapter received the resignation of Mrs. Andrew Mackenzie, convener of work in India, who had been obliged to give up on account of illness.

REPORT SUBMITTED

Mrs. P. E. Corby, Girl Guide convener, appealed for Guiders. Mrs. T. A. Johnston, distinguished visitors' convener, reported writing to and receiving from Miss Mary Dingman an interesting reply. As an outcome of this, the chapter voted $10 towards the peace and disarmament committee.

Mrs. C. W. Plumb, convener of soldiers' graves, read a report, and a standing vote of appreciation was given to her for her excellent work in this respect.

TEA PLANNED

The Municipal officers, under the convenership of the first vice-regent, Mrs. K. C. Symons, will act as hostesses to all I.O.D.E. members at a silver tea at headquarters on Thursday, February 13, from 3 to 5:30 p.m., to celebrate the thirty-sixth anniversary of Founder's Day.

The annual meeting of Municipal Chapter will be held on March 26, when the members of Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie and Commodore Broughton Chapters will be the tea hostesses.

The nominations committee was appointed as follows: Mrs. R. Catterall, convener; Mrs. Cashmore and Miss Grimison. Entertainment for the Provincial Chapter annual meeting in April will be under the convenership of Mrs. Kyrle Symons.

Sidney

Miss Kathleen Taylor, of Victoria, whose marriage to Mr. Ivan Green will take place in the near future, was the guest of honor recently at a shower at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Straight, East Saanich Road. Misses Gertrude and Helen Cochran and Gertrude Straight were responsible for arranging the affair, which brought together friends of Miss Taylor in the Sidney district, where the guest of honor resided with her parents before moving to Victoria a few years ago. The shower gifts were presented in a colonial house set in a landscape representing a snow scene. Tea was served from a table decorated with pink tapers and camellias. Mrs. George Cochran and Mrs. S. K. Halseth presided at the urns. Among the invited guests were Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. Taylor, Sr., Mrs. Alfred Mather, Mrs. E. Campbell, Mrs. L. Gibbons, Mrs. George Cochran, Mrs. E. M. Straight, Mrs. Philip Brethour, Mrs. Douglas Godwin, Mrs. S. K. Halseth, Mrs. A. W. Hollands, Mrs. Stanley Brethour, Mrs. E. R. Hall, Mrs. C. E. Jeffery, Mrs. Wilkinson, Mrs. H. J. McIntyre, Mrs. J. E. McNell, Mrs. J. Matthews, Mrs. J. Ramsay, Mrs. F. Simister, Mrs. J. Bosher, Jr., Mrs. A. Warrender, Mrs. W. Whiting and Misses Dulce Brethour, Gertrude Cochran, Helen Cochran, Alden Cochran, Jean Straight, Gertrude Straight, Mavis Goddard, Gwen Hollands, Eileen Jeffery, Rose Matthews and Miss Ellis.

Charming Ottawa Hostess

Here is a charming portrait study of Mrs. Franklin Ahearn, wife of the member of Parliament for West Ottawa, and one of the capital's leading socialites. (Photo by Karsh, Ottawa.)

Clubs and Societies

Knox Home Helpers

The monthly meeting of the Young Women's Home Helpers' Circle of Knox Presbyterian Church was held at the home of Mrs. H. Curtis, 1617 Camosun Street. The new officers were installed for the ensuing year by Mrs. Patterson. Out of respect to His Late Majesty King George V, a minute of silent prayer was observed, after which Mrs. Patterson offered a prayer for the members of the Royal Family. Preparations were made for the February meeting, which will be held on February 11 and will take the form of an exhibition of art and sale of home cooking. There will also be an open competition for everyone to take part in, and prizes will be presented to the winners. There will be six classes of home cooking, such as cakes, pies, bread, shortbread, candy and baking powder biscuits, including scones and pancakes. These will be judged by a competent judge, and all entries are asked to be left at the church on Tuesday evening by 7 o'clock so as to give the judge sufficient time before the opening of the event to do the judging and award the prizes. Entrants are asked to leave their entry to be sold at the home cooking stall afterwards. Each member was reminded to bring her needlework to these meetings so that articles can be made in preparation for the Fall sale of work in November. After the close of the meeting, refreshments were served and competitions were entered into by the members, Miss L. Patterson and Miss B. Hawkins winning the prizes. Each member present received a small gift from the hostess. A hearty vote of thanks was accorded Mrs. Curtis for the use of her home and also for a pleasant evening.

Frances Willard W.C.T.U.

The Frances Willard Branch of the W.C.T.U. met yesterday at the home of Mrs. T. Humphries, 2976 Quadra Street. Officers for the Local Council of Women were voted upon. Mrs. John Hall brought a report of the meeting at which Mrs. Miller, of Halifax, spoke, she having come here at her own expense in the interest of temperance work. Mrs. Hicks reported for the Rockland Park Union on the recent temperance contest and said that it had been unusually good. A resolution was passed in which the members of the Frances Willard Union protested against any proposal to increase the facilities of public drinking of alcoholic beverages, and, in particular, any change of law or regulation granting legal rights to sell or supply intoxicating liquors, including beer or wine, in restaurants, cafes or public dining-rooms in British Columbia. Mrs. Holland spoke of conditions in England and said she considered them better than in Canada. Refreshments were served after the meeting by the hostess.

Mothers' Union

A largely attended diocesan meeting of the Mothers' Union was held yesterday afternoon in the Memorial Hall, the president, Mrs. H. S. Brake, presiding. The meeting opened with prayers, including one for His Majesty King Edward VIII and the Queen Mother. The members stood in silent tribute to His Late Majesty King George V. Members were asked to keep in mind the date of the dedication service to be held in the cathedral on February 20 at 2:30 p.m., commemorating sixty years jubilee of the Mothers' Union. Mrs. Allon Peebles was the speaker, taking for her subject, "The Birthright of New Zealanders," which gave a vivid word picture of the country and describing the educational, medical and nursing facilities. The social part of the meeting was dispensed with on account of the death of His Majesty King George V.

Tuckabatcheo Club

The Tuchabatcheo Club of the First Baptist Church held its first meeting of the year at the home of Miss Nora Gibson, Harrison Street. A short business session was held, at which Miss Minnie Beveridge was unanimously re-elected sponsor of the club. Miss Mary Reynolds then led the meeting in a short devotional period. The guest speaker was the pastor, Rev. G. A. Reynolds, who spoke on "Baptist Principles and Beliefs," followed by an open discussion. Refreshments were served.

W.A. to Pro Patricia

All activities to the W.A to Pro Patria branch, Canadian Legion, have been cancelled until further notice. The members are requested to wear a mourning badge behind their W.A. badges.

Orange Juveniles

Pride of Victoria Lodge No. 55, Orange Juvenile Association, will meet in the Orange Hall tomorrow at 2:30 p.m. All members are requested to attend. There will be initiation.

Junior Jubilee W.A.

The Junior W.A. of the Jubilee Hospital will hold a bandaging "bee" in the Nurses' Home tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. All members are urged to attend.

Daughters of England

Members of Primrose Lodge No 32 Choir are requested to attend the regular meeting tonight. Important business will be discussed.

Anglican Young People

ST. MARY'S

Under the auspices of St. Mary's branch, the St. John's players presented, "Here Comes Charlie," in their auditorium on Wednesday evening, and the performance was much enjoyed. The regular meeting will be held in the hall next Wednesday in the form of a musical evening.

Little Stories for Bedtime

Sammy Jay Is Modest

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

As soon as the angry hunter with the terrible gun had disappeared among the trees of the Green Forest and Lightfoot was sure he had gone for good, Lightfoot came out from his hiding place among the young hemlock trees on the top of the ridge and walked down to the pond of Paddy the Beaver for a drink.

He knew that it was quite safe to do so, for Sammy Jay had followed the hunter, all the time screaming, "Thief! Thief! Thief!" Everyone within hearing could tell just where that hunter was by Sammy's voice. It kept growing fainter and fainter and by that Lightfoot knew that the hunter was getting farther and farther away.

Paddy the Beaver swam out from his hiding place and climbed out on the bank near Lightfoot. There was a twinkle in his eyes. "That blue-coated mischief-maker isn't such a bad fellow at heart, after all, is he?" said he.

Lightfoot lifted his beautiful head and set his ears forward to catch the sound of Sammy's voice in the distance. "Sammy Jay may be a mischief-maker, as some people say," said he, "but you can always count on him to prove a true friend in times of danger. He brought me warning of the coming of the hunter the other morning. You saw him save Mr. and Mrs. Quack a little while ago, and then he actually drove that hunter away. I suppose Sammy Jay has saved more lives than anyone I know of. I wish he would come back here and let me thank him."

Some time later, Sammy Jay did come back. "Well," said he, as he smoothed his feathers, "I chased that fellow clear to the edge of the Green Forest, so I guess there will be nothing more to fear from him today. I'm glad to see he hasn't got you yet, Lightfoot. I've been a bit worried about you."

"Sammy," said Lightfoot, "you are one of the best friends I have. I don't know how I can ever thank you for what you have done for me."

"Don't try," replied Sammy rather shortly. "I haven't done anything but what anybody else would have done. Old Mother Nature gave me a pair of good eyes and strong voice. I simply make the best use of them I can. Just to see a hunter with a terrible gun makes me mad clear through. I'd rather spoil his hunting than eat."

"You want to watch out, Sammy. One of these days a hunter will lose his temper and shoot you, just to get even with you," warned Paddy the Beaver.

"Don't worry about me," replied Sammy. "I know just how far one of these terrible guns can shoot, and I don't take any chances. By the way, Lightfoot, the Green Forest is full of hunters looking for you. I've seen a lot of them, and I know they are looking for you because they do not shoot at anybody else even when they have a chance."

"That blue-coated mischief-maker isn't such a bad fellow at heart after all, is he?" said he.

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Chemainus

Mr. Bert Mitchel, formerly of Straits Lumber Company, Nanoose, is substituting as filer in V.L.M. Company plant here for Mr. Alexander, who had the misfortune on Sunday to break his leg while playing football in Ladysmith.

Mr. Johnson, of Victoria, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. George Pulling.

Rt. Rev. H. E. Sexton and Mrs. Sexton were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. E. Robathan over the week-end, attending services and annual meetings in Crofton, Westholme and Chemainus.

Girl Guide Notes

"CHEMAINUS"

The annual meeting of the Chemainus Girl Guide and Brownie Association was held in the parish rooms on Tuesday afternoon, when the resignation of Miss Enid Fraser, Guide captain, whose marriage will take place shortly, was received with much regret. Miss Corsie Fraser has consented to take over the Guides, and also, for the time being, to carry on with the Brownies. Warrant will be secured for Miss Ruth Johnson for Guide lieutenant and Miss Gladys Cook will carry on as assistant in the Brownies. Miss Fraser anticipates training both the Guides and Brownies for the folk dancing competition at the annual musical festival. On Monday, February 10, the next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. Russell Robinson, when nominations will be received and new officers elected for 1936.

Metchosin

Metchosin Athletic Club gave a successful party on Wednesday night in honor of Messrs. Reginald and Edward Blake, who are leaving the district. There were games and dancing throughout the evening, supper being served at 11:30 o'clock, after which dancing was resumed. Those present were Misses Ethel and Ina Brown, Sheila Pennington, Mary Mackie, Beryl and Joan Pears, Kathie Milne, Margaret Bell and Elsie Walker. Messrs. Reginald, Edward and Leslie Blake, Dick Meadows, Bill Levi, Neil Mackie, Sunny Roberts, Bill Milne, Walter Thornett and Ronny Weir.

A German girl at the world games hurled the discus 143 feet. Fancy being married to a woman like that!

Victorian Is Named For Office

Capt. T. L. Thorpe-Doubble, chairman of the Victoria sub-regional committee of the Dominion Drama Festival, has just received information from the East that he has been made a governor of the association.

Accompanying the news were the letters patent incorporating the governors of the Dominion Drama Festival, these being signed by E. H. Coleman, deputy registrar-general of Canada.

The Dominion Drama Festival Association was organized and made a permanent body immediately prior to the departure of Their Excellencies Lord and Lady Bessborough from Ottawa, this being in order to insure the continuance of the festival. The significance of the office of "governor" in the organization is that, as such, the holder is a member of the central governing body, which includes His Excellency the Governor-General and such governors as he may appoint to administer the affairs of the festival.

The objects of the corporation are "to encourage dramatic art in Canada by the holding of Dominion Drama Festivals and such regional or other subsidiary festivals" as they deem advisable.

Y.P.S. News

METROPOLITAN

Another interesting and profitable evening is planned for the regular Monday night meeting of the Metropolitan United Church Young People's Society. The programme is inspired by the anniversary of Robert Burns birthday, and is appropriately entitled "A Night Among the Heather." The members are asked to keep the date in mind, and any other young person that is not associated with another group is most cordially invited to attend.

The Drama Group of Metropolitan United Church Y.P.S. is planning to produce the three-act play, "The Rock" by Mary P. Hamlin in the near future. This is a deeply moving spiritual play depicting the life of Simon Peter.

CITY TEMPLE

The weekly meeting of the Victoria City Temple society was held Tuesday, Ruth Henson, the president, in the chair. The meeting opened with singing and prayer, followed by a violin solo by Robert Osselton. Ralph Holt announced the amusing debate, "Resolved that there is too much fuss made over the Dionne quintuplets." Willie the judges were cut making their decision, there was considerable business discussed, a play and a leap year frolic being suggested. In the debate, Yvonne Prince and Ernie Colman took the affirmative, and Irene McDonald and Don McRae upheld the negative, the latter winning by thirty points over the affirmative. The judges were Mrs Snider, Mrs. Phillips and Mr. J. Hedly. Owing to the public holiday, there will be no meeting next Tuesday.

CHINESE

The Chinese United Young People's meeting was held recently. The opening hymn, "I Would Have the Saviour With Me," was sung, followed with the Lord's Prayer. The devotional group, under David Gung, took charge. Quiet music was played by Helen Mah. A poem from The Onward, Sunday school paper, entitled "As You Go Through Life," was read by Dorothy Joe. The Scripture reading by Mathew Bong was taken from St. Matthew xxv., 1-15. The hymn, "Under His Wings," was sung. David Gung read a paper on "Youth's Most-Asked Question." The devotional part of the meeting was concluded by the singing of "Saviour, Breathe an Evening Blessing." The ceremony of the installation of officers was conducted by Miss Mossop and Wilson Lee. Wilson Lee presented to the president an interesting letter from Mr. and Mrs. Peter G. Mar, telling of the trip from Winnipeg to Shanghai, which was then read to the society. Helen Mah and Alfred Wong were elected as representatives to the Young People's Union. It was decided that John Bong and the president be allowed to draw up musical programmes for Sunday morning services. Chosen to assist them were Helen Mah, Josephine Wong, Mary Ing, Wilson Lee, David Gung and Dennis Wong. The president, David Gung, presented Mary Bong, Helen Mah, Pearl Lowe and John Gung with Y.P. pins, welcoming them as new members. Rev. Chow Ling gave the benediction.

Asks Canada to Participate in Japanese Fair

Canada is being invited to participate in Japan's first international exposition to be held at Tokio in 1940. To press the invitation throughout the Dominion and explain the nature of the great exhibition, Hisao Kuwashima, special envoy of Mayor Ushizuka, of Tokio, is in Victoria and is registered at the Empress Hotel. Mr. Kuwashima arrived here on the Ss. President Grant.

The Japanese visitor explained the twenty-six hundredth anniversary of his empire comes in the year 1940, and it is proposed to honor it by staging the greatest exposition known, exceeding in size and magnificence even the Century of Progress Fair at Chicago. It is also planned to hold the Olympic Games at Tokio in the same year.

Mr. Kuwashima will interview Premier W. L. Mackenzie King to enlist support for the Canadien entries. There will be a Canada building at the exposition.

Campbell River

Mr. and Mrs. H. Nelson have returned from their vacation.

Mrs. K. Bell and Mrs. N. Anderson have returned home to Campbellton.

Mrs. G. Wickstrom entertained a few to tea recently. Her guests were: Mrs. La Trace, Mrs. Carl Peterson, Mrs. T. Morrison and Miss E. Wickstrom.

At the Hotels

DOMINION

Capt. A. H. Rippon, Mr. Wallace Hamilton, Mr. A. B. Robson, Vancouver; Mrs. P. A. Howard, Deep Cove; the Misses Ellen and Doris Mason, Messrs. W. Blanchard and R. Carron, Dawson; Mr. G. Wall, Mr. E. C. Hunt, Mrs. B. Brown, Mr. Harold Sykes, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Weld, Parksville; Mr. H. E. Jerry, Peace River; Mr. and Mrs. R. Hawkey, Ethelton, Sask.

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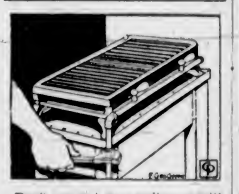

Don't connect gas appliances with rubber hose. The rubber deteriorates in a short time and becomes porous, allowing gas to escape and endangering lives and property. Only iron piping with solid joints is safe to use for gas.

When serving a cottage cheese salad, put one teaspoon of tart jelly on top. It "dresses it up" and it also tastes good.

For pain in the face, earache or toothache, fill a small bag with salt, heat it, cover with flannel and apply to aching part.

Salads or creamed mixtures in whole canned pimento cups are pretty.

Witty Kitty

By NINA WILCOX PUTNAM

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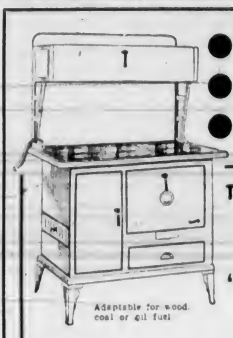

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

PICTURE PARTY EXPECTED SOON

Central Films Limited May Begin Work on Third Production on February 3

Actors and officials of Columbia Pictures, Incorporated, are expected to arrive here Tuesday from Hollywood to start production on February 3 on the Central Films' third picture, "Secret Patrol". The picture will be made around a Royal Canadian Mounted Police story, with a father and son plot somewhat similar to the theme used in "The Lives of a Bengal Lancer."

This was announced by Kenneth J. Bishop, producer and president of the local motion picture company, on his return from a business visit to Hollywood.

Mr. Bishop stated the film will employ local talent to a large extent, nine roles to be filled by Victorians. The picture will be produced on a fairly small scale, he declared.

Headed by Charles Starrett and Miss Finnis Barton, feature players, the party coming from Hollywood will include: Harry Decker, Columbia's supervisor of production for action pictures; George Meehan, cameraman; Ford Beebe, director; Ralph Black, business manager; Walter Mcins, prop man, and Lambert Day, sound technician.

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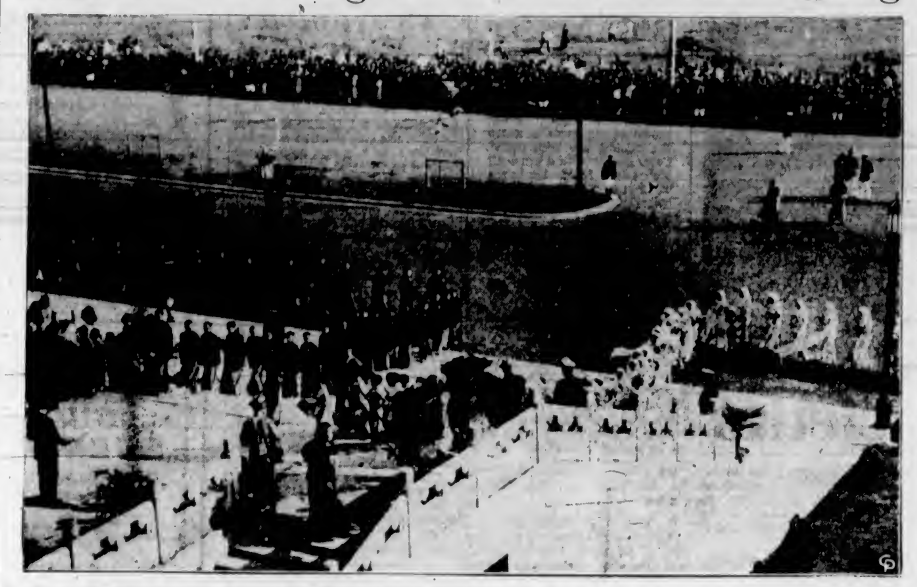
Chinese of Shanghai Take to Mass Marriage



The Chinese Have Taken the Mass Marriage Idea From the Occident. Parade of the Brides and Bridegrooms Into the Temple Grounds for the Marriage Ritual at Recent Multiple Wedding in Shanghai Is Pictured. There Were 130 Couples Knotted at the Ceremony, and They Are Seen Here, Brides in One Line, and Grooms in Another, in the Wedding March.

Social and Personal

Children's Party

A "Mickey Mouse" party was held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Walter Rennie, 1144 Pembroke Street, in honor of the seventh birthday of her son, Terry. During the afternoon the children enjoyed games, Peggy Grant and Brian Duncan being the winners of the contest, pinning on Mickey's tail, and Margaret McGregor and Gordon Brown being the winners of the gum-drop contest. At 4.15 o'clock the children sat down at a tea table attractively arranged with Mickey Mouse favors and centred with a large red candle, around which danced Minnie and Mickey Mouse. At one end of the table was placed the birthday cake, which took the form of a merry-go-round. Peppermint sticks supported the canopy and animal crackers completed the effect. Assisting at the tea table were Mrs. P. Richards and Mrs. G. Sherwood. The invited guests were Misses Diane Sherwood, Gloria Smith, Betty Mae Jeeves, Peggy Grant, Shirley McNeill, Margaret McGregor, Judy Livsey, Masters Billie Richards, Teddy Kitchener, "Buddy" Knight, Gordon Brown, Brian Duncan, Billie Jones, Teddy and "Barney" Peatt, Burton McCann, Donald Grant and Garry Williams.

Visiting Vienna

Mrs. J. O. Cameron, who has been visiting in England since last October, spent the Christmas holiday season in Brussels, together with the Misses Mary and Adele Bucklin, left on January 8 for Vienna, where she was to be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geza de Kresz, the latter formerly leader of the Hart House Quartette. On her way to Vienna, Mrs. Cameron was stopping off at Leipsig, Dresden and Prague, the last place especially appealing to her, as her father spent a year there sixty years ago in his capacity of American consul. Before leaving for Vienna and Budapest, Mrs. Cameron and the Misses Bucklin were guests at an invitation recital at the Palais de Beaux Arts, Brussels, by the Pro Arte Quartette, with which the Misses Bucklin studied for two or three seasons in California during annual visits of the Belgian musicians there.

Back From Vancouver

Mrs. R. A. Playfair has returned to her home on Hampshire Road after attending the meeting of the Provincial Branch of the King's Daughters in Vancouver. Arrangements were made for the annual meeting to be held in New Westminster on May 5 and 6. The announcement that Her Excellency Lady Tweedsmuir had accepted the honorary presidency of the order in Canada was received with pleasure. The meeting paid tribute to the memory of the Late King and a message of sympathy will be conveyed to the Governor-General.

Sail From San Francisco

Mr. and Mrs. J. Carl Pendray, of Beach Drive, and their daughter, Miss Eileen Pendray, sailed yesterday afternoon from San Francisco aboard the Grace liner Ss. Santa Rosa, on the first lap of their trip to South America and the West Indies.

Leave for South

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Merrick, of the Uplands, left Wednesday afternoon for Seattle, where they entrained for Southern California. Mr. and Mrs. Merrick will be away for a month, during which time they will visit in Los Angeles, San Diego and Santa Monica.

Few Days in Vancouver

Mr. and Mrs. Russell F. Cooper, the former Miss Mary Thomson, whose marriage took place Wednesday evening, are spending several days in Vancouver before proceeding to Bralorne, B.C., where they will make their home.

Entertained Last Evening

Mrs. J. Howard Harman entertained with two tables of bridge last evening at her home on York Place in honor of Miss Dorothy Tremayne, who will leave next week for Ottawa, where she will make her home.

Back From Spokane

Miss Florence Oates, who has been participating in the Washington State badminton championship tournament in Spokane, has returned to her home on Woodlawn Crescent.

Tea Hostess

Mrs. Kenneth McCannell entertained informally yesterday afternoon at the tea hour at her home, 941 Richmond Avenue, in honor of Mrs. R. H. Wilson, who is visiting here from Vancouver.

Dance Cancelled

The C.P.R. Tennis Club dance planned for next Monday evening in the K. of C. Hall, has been postponed indefinitely.

COLD WAVE BLAMED FOR MANY DEATHS

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Workmen gave door-to-door warnings when a frozen gas main endangered 700 families at Point Marion, Pa. Motorists were marooned at various points from the Missouri River to the Hudson.

BLIZZARD ON PRAIRIES

WINNIPEG, Jan. 24 (CP)—Canada was climbing out from under a blanket of snow today in the wake of a Winter storm of howling, fricid gale brought from the West and swept out into the Atlantic.

Western Canada felt the blizzard and icy cold first on Wednesday and it reached the East that night on the wings of a fifty-mile-an-hour blow. Ontario was chilled to the marrow yesterday and buried up to the fence tops in a heavy fall of snow. Railway, bus and automobile traffic was slow until ploughs got to work, and snow-shoveling battalions labored in the cities to clear the way for busy street traffic.

DEEP SNOW IN QUEBEC

Quebec did not suffer the extreme cold that seized Ontario, but snow swathed the countryside and choked highway traffic. The storm created difficulty along the railroad lines from Quebec to the Maritimes, but trains ploughed through the drifts to maintain schedules. New Brunswick was spared by the storm in its passage to the Atlantic, but Nova Scotia was visited by the blizzard.

The young couple had just moved into a new house, and they stood surveying the situation. "I wish," said she, "that this carpet was velvet." "I don't," he replied, unfeelingly. "I wish it was down."

"So you've forsaken the world and become a disciple of Gandhi?"

"Yes, I'm starting off with a clean sheet."

Old Toys Are Treasured Reminders of Long Ago

After fifty years it is not difficult to recall the look and the smell of the nursery cupboard and to think with some exactness of its contents, writes a correspondent in The Times (London).

There were in it bats and balls (for cricket in a small garden), a candle bull's-eye lantern, greatly treasured in the days before electric torches were invented; glass marbles of considerable beauty, a wooden soapbox intended for carpenter's tools, but once chosen by the cat as the repository of her kittens, and materials for such table games as ludo and tiddlywinks.

Literature was chiefly represented by a stores catalogue much appreciated for its excellent and varied illustrations. The more essentially feminine toys, the tea set and the dinner set—still used on festival occasions by their owner's grandchildren—lived in the neighboring dolls' house, in which was a four-poster bed.

OLD SOLDIERS

There were in particular in that cupboard lead soldiers — like the British army, few but of high quality. These could be made, with some imagination, to march past almost as well as the army, led by Sir Garnet Wolseley, marched past Queen Victoria in Mr. Poole's "Myriorama," which came once a year to the Assembly Rooms and offered thrills of which the modern filmgoer can know nothing.

There were also two brass cannons which one loaded under supervision with black powder, ramming the shot down with a knitting needle; they were unequaled in precision at short range if one held one's breath in applying the pantry taper to the touch hole; and, indeed, an elder brother, holding the piece in his hand, once killed a starling with one of them. Much later than that memorable feat of arms came a little rook rifle with which members of the family, who were old enough to know better, would shoot from a bedroom window at the weathercock on the neighboring stable. Only once was that target hit—but how splendidly it whizzed round under the impact!

A TOY SHOP

Thoughts of that distant scene came flooding to memory when the writer, confronted with the hideous business of moving, surveyed the enough possessions to fill many cupboards, and all of them very precious and on no account meanly to be sorted out while she is away from home. Those belongings must all be moved—the dolls and their beds and their prams, the gramophone, the lantern, the airplane, the furry animals of the bear tribe, the books, the paint boxes that the P.R.A might envy, and the shop.

It was in a warmer clime than that of London that she was embarked on the trade of shopkeeping, and to such eminence did she rise as shopkeeper that she received a parchment warrant of appointment as supplier of parfums de luxe to a kindly governor, whose military secretary sent it by the trusted hand of a mounted sowar of the bodyguard. It is a shop that must be handed on.

Will all these treasures be lovingly recalled in fifty years' time? Does the child of today get more toys, or better toys, than her parents ever dreamed of? Are they appreciated in the old way? Such questions are really irrelevant, and to all who ask them should be described the contrast between the single child, or the small family of today and the big family of yesterday. The standard size in families goes down, the quantity, if not also the quality, of toys goes up.

Meanwhile, the whole mass of books and toys and shop must be transported from one part of London to another, and if any faint-hearted doll should lose her head by the way, or any cuddly animal shed a limb already rendered insecure from being frequently overtaid in bed, the owner will have something to say about it as soon as she sets foot in her new home.

OTTAWA APPROVES PLANS FOR BRIDGE

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stead of the swing span, a vertical lift of not less than 250 feet horizontal and 145 vertical clearance above freshet level.

As an alternative it is provided that on completion of the new bridge the Province may remove the upper portion of the present bridge now used for highway traffic without cost to the Dominion and also without avoidable interference with railway traffic. Then the title to the present bridge and approaches shall be transferred to the Dominion free of charge to be used for railway traffic.

FAMOUS LAST WORDS

"I wonder if it is loaded. I will look down the barrel and see."

"Oh, listen! there's the train. Step on it and we'll get across before it comes."

"They say these detonators cannot possibly explode, no matter how you throw them about."

"I wonder whether this rope is strong enough to hold my weight."

"There's no fun in swimming in such shallow water. I'm going out where it's deeper."

"I think I'll mix a little nitric acid with some chloride of potassium, and see what happens."

Are in the Rich Tradition for Beauty

This Subtle Portrait Study Pictures Irene Rich (Centre), Star of the Stage, Screen and Radio, With Her Two Daughters. They Are Frances Rich, Who Is Back in Paris After Studying for Two Years in the Boston School of Fine Arts With Jacovleff, and Jane Rich (Right), Who Is at the Finch School in New York.

Gladys Glad On Beauty

Down in Burma, I am told, the doting mother who wishes her daughter to grow up into a beauty, places metal hoops about her neck when she is merely a tot. The mother increases the number of hoops gradually, as her offspring grows older. And she does her best to elongate the girl's neck as much as possible. For in that part of the globe, an exaggeratedly long neck is considered one of the most potent of beauty assets.

Over in this America, of course, a giraffe-like neck holds no charm whatsoever. American standards of beauty call for a straight, firm neck of moderate proportions.

Sleeping with the head bolstered up by huge, downy pillows every night is likely to have a detrimental effect on the loveliness of the neck. In the first place, this practice may result in the development of an ugly, protruding vertebrae at the back of the neck. And in the second place, when the head is constantly pushed forward in that manner, the lines of the neck may be ruined, and the development of a flabby double chin may result.

If you wish your neck and chin to retain their firm, youthful contours, try to get into the habit of sleeping without a pillow. That may sound like a harsh measure to you, but it's not. Because you'll easily get used to sleeping without having your head bolstered up.

EXERCISES HELP

In order to preserve a firm, youthful, graceful neck, it is also wise to practice neck exercises daily. Such exercises will also help to prevent the formation of any youth-destroying double chin. There are some excellent ones for this purpose outlined in my "New Figure" booklet. And the following are also most beneficial:

Stand erect, hands on back of your head, chin dropped forward on your chest, and shoulders relaxed forward. Then slowly pull your head upward, resisting with your hands and rear neck muscles, until your head and elbows are pulled well back. Relax and repeat fifteen to twenty times.

Take a position on your hands and knees, with your back flat. Then raise your head as far backward as possible and hollow your back, while still on your hands and knees. Next, let your head fall downward, completely relaxed, and hump your back upward. Repeat fifteen to twenty times.

One True Prophet Of Weather Dead

BUTTE, Mont., Jan. 23 AP.—Butte's weather gambler, William H. Davey, seventy-three, is dead of pneumonia. Davey, a former mayor, wagered sometimes as high as $1,000 that there would be rain twenty-six days in June. He won so often his friends finally refused to bet.

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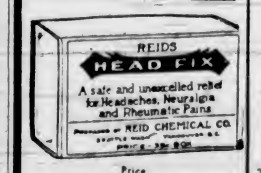

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.15 Tweezers	8c
.75 Baume Bengue	47c
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Permit for its construction was issued by the city building inspector, yesterday. The owner is C. N. Forrest, of Shanghai, who will make his permanent residence here. The architect is William Semeyn, and the contractors, McCulloch & Harvey.

There will be nine suites in the block, which will be three storys high, and there will be nine garages, one for each suite. The owner's suite, or penthouse, will have nine rooms.

All suites will be equipped throughout with all the latest electrical fixtures, including electric stoves, etc. When finished, it probably will be the most modern apartment block in the city of Victoria.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 500 words in length.

"SOMETHING FOR NOTHING"

Sir,—Like as a bad-tempered dog marls and snaps at anybody that stands in his path, so Mr. Jull in your issue yesterday attacks R.B.D., using expressions that are neither appropriate or accurate. I think that most of your readers will agree that if Mr. Jull could and would adopt a style of writing similar to R.B.D., his letters would be not only more readable, but much more understandable than they are at present.

After flatly denying that "Social Credit" offers something for nothing, he proceeds in language (best described in his own words as) "carefully veiled in the confusion of thought, peculiarly his own," to attempt to explain what "Social Credit" is.

I quote from his last letter the following choice morsels which, doubtless, Mr. Jull regards as a classic in regard to clarity of thought and beauty in expression: "Douglas Social Credit is a mechanism for the introducing into the economic machine of sufficient money, in the form of immediately available purchasing power, to fully meet the prices of all consumers' goods on sale at any time, so that the latter can be sold, their costs recovered, and the economic machine can continue to function to produce wealth."

Very simple, isn't it? We don't even have to put a penny in a slot, much less a dime in the "machine" in order to get enough money required to buy up all the wealth of goods that Canada produces.

The "mechanism" and the "machine" mentioned by Mr. Jull will do all this for us for nothing, provided we have energy enough to mark our ballots for D.S.C. candidates.

Believe it or not! It's "up to you."

SPENCER PERCIVAL.
Cherry Bank, Victoria, B.C., January 20, 1936.

SOCIAL CREDIT

Sir,—I trust that with your usual generosity you will give me a little space to answer criticisms of my late letter on "Communism and Social Credit."

First, Mr. Moulton, who wrote on hate. Although objecting to my contention that Communism preached hatred, he yet admitted the truth of that statement in every word he wrote, therefore fully justifying my contention that Communism is opposed to Christianity, which preaches "Love even your enemies." Hate may be a "biological characteristic," but Christ teaches us to eradicate bad biological characteristics, and also gives us the power to do so.

Then, Miss Stuart. I did not say that Marx's prophecies were wrong, I said that his remedies were wrong. He advocated the class war. Also he condemned our profit system of production. This system has brought us the present potential plenty without any regimentation, class war, with all its horrors, or loss of political liberty. He lived when even the British Empire was still in a state of scarcity, and so did not realize that the problem of the future for the advanced nations would not be the producing of plenty for all, but the distribution of that plenty; not employment for all, but purchasing power for all. This is the problem of the twentieth century and the one dealt with by Major Douglas.

This brings me to the answer of Miss Stuart's fantastic objection that Social Credit means control of industry and eventually Fascism. Miss Stuart, like so many critics of Social Credit, apparently has not studied it. Social Credit, as a matter of fact, will free industry from many of the governmental shackles under which it labors today.

Then, our present political freedom, which we have struggled for since the days of Cromwell, will remain intact and untouched; but to it will be added economic freedom. In fact, Social Credit will make the old liberal doctrine of liberty of the individual, equality of opportunity and the brotherhood of man at last a reality. This wonderful change can be brought about as soon as a majority of the people demand it from the elected representatives. It will be done, put shortly, by first taking the monopoly of credit from the hands of the few financiers and bankers. This power will be given to the Dominion Treasury, which is responsible to the people, and it will have to administer it for the good of the people or jobs will be lost. This credit will be based on the real credit of Canada—that is, its power to produce goods and services when and where required. Not on hypothetical gold, which has no relation to production. This credit will be issued as a dividend already earned by the people by increment of association. This is a necessary outcome of the fact that today one man can produce with machinery as much as, in many cases, one thousand men working individually could have produced one hundred years ago.

This is the proper reward we should give to those scientists and inventors who have labored during the last 150 years to remove the curse of Adam from the shoulders of mankind.

Social Credit will use the machine to the full and so give mankind leisure with abundance.

It will also give us a contented country and a brotherhood of man. Because, when all are shareholders in Canada Limited and derive a part of their income from the smooth working of that company, all will pull together to make it work smoothly. Each will be for all and all for each. Also, in time, this brotherhood will spread to the world and, in like manner, do away with war.

If any reader thinks that anything I have said cannot be substantiated by either fact, or informed and considered reasoning, or wishes to learn more of this answer to our present troubles, he should write to or visit any afternoon at the appended address.

A. S. AVERILL.
Douglas Social Credit (non-political),
224 Pemberton Building, Victoria, B.C., January 20, 1936.

SOCIAL CREDIT PROPAGANDA

Sir, — During the past twelve months, week by week, and, during some weeks, day by day, your paper has generously printed letters from Social Credit advocates of different brands. These gentry have signally failed to show how any system of Social Credit can be made to work successfully, but they resent, somewhat bitterly at times, any criticism of their ideas, and in line with that attitude, Mr. Keeping, in your issue today, directs his lance against my humble self.

It is the inalienable right of any citizen of a free country with a free press to criticize fairly the policies advocated publicly by any person or political party. That right may become a duty if and when you find those policies are destructive, demoralizing and mischievous in their nature or basic principles. If you see "your neighbor's ox or ass go astray," what should you do?

Mr. Keeping did not like my letter appearing in your issue of the 18th, and the following day sought an interview with the idea of converting me to his theories. For the space of nearly two hours he labored in vain, because during that time he did not advance one constructive idea that would stand the slightest scrutiny; but of destructive criticism of the existing state of affairs he was quite lavish.

The world's depression, stagnation of international trade and consequent unemployment, the falling off in the demand for Canadian wheat and lumber were brought about by the absence of Social Credit. Europe became impoverished by the Great War and the profiteering by the neutral countries and the United States and Canada.

The United States Government, after the war, instead of realizing its responsibilities as a great creditor country, put in force the Fordney tariff, and later the McCumber tariff, further crippling the world's trade and industry. European countries had perforce to attempt to become self-sustaining as much as possible and so Canada lost some markets for her wheat, lumber and livestock. As Mr. Cordell Hull, the present United States Secretary of State, has said, the United States is one of the "principal sinners".

Mr. Keeping advises me to offer "constructive suggestions." For his information I would mention the following, advocated by me from time to time in the press:

Preferential trade within the Empire (as long ago as the year 1905 and again) before the advent to power of the National Government in Great Britain. Cancelling of war debts and the lowering of tariff walls by the United States. Reduction of interest on farmers' mortgages (at that time 8 per cent). Reduction in cost of Canadian Governments and the ceasing of reckless and unwarranted expenditures.

Has Mr. Keeping ever publicly advanced one constructive idea? I suggest that he might turn his attention to the railway problem which Canada has on her hands.

A solution of it, which would save this country upwards of $60,000,000 per year, would be of much more benefit to us all than any radical and destructive legislation, such as Social Credit propagandists advocate.

SPENCER PERCIVAL.
Cherry Bank, Victoria, B.C., January 21, 1936.

SAANICH WARD THREE PLEBISCITE

Sir,—I wish to bring to the notice of the taxpayers of Ward One the injustice which is being forced upon them by a few taxpayers of Gordon Head district. These taxpayers, without any consideration whatsoever for the people of Ward One, have prevailed upon the Saanich Council to allow a plebiscite to be presented to the taxpayers of Ward Three. If the plebiscite is passed, it will immediately effect the value of properties in Ward One, and these people will be subjected to having greenhouses built up to their property and facing them across the street. This plebiscite is being brought forward by the Gordon Head people to offset such a condition in their own district without any consideration for other people's property.

The residents of Ruby Road, which is the most thickly populated road in Ward Three, will also be subjected to a very grave injustice as they have taken years to build up their homes on lots, and now they are confronted with the possibility of being built in all around by greenhouses. These homes mean as much to these people as those of the Gordon Head residents.

If I remember correctly the present condition has arisen through the efforts of one of the Ward Three councillors some years ago in having the improvement tax on greenhouses lowered to one-tenth the tax on house improvements.

C. F. DAWSON.
Mount Tolmie P.O., January 20, 1936.

A UNION LIBRARY

Sir, — A correspondent in The Cowichan Leader of January 16 asks certain questions about the proposed union library:

Q. "Who is responsible for the scheme?"

A. The Public Library Commission of British Columbia, with funds placed at its disposal through the generosity of the Carnegie Corporation. These funds have been spent on organization and the purchase of an initial stock of books. This basal collection of 2,500 volumes was chosen by Dr. Helen G. Stewart, director, in collaboration with the Nanaimo Library staff, and has been used in the Carnegie demonstrations.

Forty-one books chosen by Chemainus residents from a display held here and attended by them were sent by Dr. Stewart and distributed by the local committee. In addition to the books on display there was an annotated list, and selections were made as follows:

Baden-Powell, "Lessons of a Lifetime"; C. S. Brook, "Thread of English Road"; J. L. Clark, "Trails of the Hunted"; H. Crichton-Miller, "Psycho-Analysis and Its Derivatives"; Gilbert Frankau, "Three Englishmen"; Sir Phillip H. Gibbs, "Ways of Escape"; G. D. Hiscox, "Henley's 20th Century Formulas, Etc."; H. Landau, "All's Fair"; Beverley Nichols, "Thatched Roof"; G. W. Maunsell, "Fisherman's Vade Mecum," and N. Coon, "Practical Violet Culture."—A second shipment of promised books as chosen is being eagerly awaited.

May I be allowed to state in passing that when I visited your Fall Fair I noted in a display of books "The Seven Pillars of Wisdom." The stock of books available to every resident is from 15,000 to 25,000, which stock consists of pooled volumes from existing libraries and this stock is added to and kept up to date by purchases from the regular budget.

Q. "Staff."

A. 1—A regional librarian as head, salary such as that of a high school teacher. 2—Two or three trained assistants, salaries on a par with elementary teachers of the same rank. 3—Six or eight part-time untrained custodians, paid at the rate of thirty cents per hour, the lowest wage set for clerical workers under the Minimum Wage Act of British Columbia.

Please note that the staff above mentioned is to take care of the choice of reading of 25,000 people. A budget for such an undertaking, carefully worked out from past experience, gives approximately $13,500 required, and bear in mind please that the figure quoted covers expenditures of every nature.

It would appear your correspondent invited enlightenment on control over expenditure of moneys raised for the scheme. Permit me to quote from the pamphlet which has been available to all interested and which has been fully discussed at meetings by Dr. Stewart as follows:

"The affairs of a union library are administered by a board of management consisting of one representative appointed by each municipal council and representatives from rural school districts according to population. It is this body which decides on the basis of allocation to each unit, its share of the total budget."

Surely, Mr. Editor, this is budget by the people for the people as it not?

The cost is small, not what we spend on two or three picture shows. The returns are just what we make them, for the field is very, very large and opportunities unlimited. Some of us are able to get books now, but many are not, especially in the rural districts.

What is it to be in North Cowichan? Books for the favored few to whom there is available a library centre or are we sufficiently broad minded and anxious to extend to one and all the wonderful possibilities of a union library with books for one and all.

M. H. SANDLAND.
Chemainus, B.C., January 20, 1936.

AN ASSEMBLY HALL

Sir,—Page 2 of your issue of the fifteenth inst. carried the information that of the $100,000 loan to the city by the Provincial Government with which to undertake public works for providing employment and consequent reduction of the number on relief, $65,000 remains unallocated. It was stated that $35,000 had been allocated for the performance of sundry very necessary jobs (a full list of which is given in the notice referred to above) through the city's public works department, of which amount $14,000 had been expended to date.

Could not the balance of this loan be most advantageously employed in the erection, somewhere within the civic centre, of a large, substantial, well-appointed and architecturally acceptable public hall—one with a seating capacity of, say, five or six thousand? Is there anything more urgently needed today in Victoria than this? We cannot get together because we have no place of assembly, and in consequence the community has no public spirit and lacks both social and civic consciousness.

From time to time speakers of note come here or are conducted to our city through the aid of one or another of our service organizations, clubs or societies. They give their addresses accordingly exclusively to them, and our daily newspapers rarely, if ever, contain a verbatim report, but generally the most cursory notice only. Or the lectures and addresses are made to form the nuclei of high social functions at the Empress Hotel, to which comparatively few of the community find themselves on the given opportunity in funds, social standing and suitably clad for the occasion. In memorial, may I repeat again His Late Majesty's words when opening a new city hall in England some three years ago: "The root of good government is a live and active civic spirit."

A civic, social or communal spirit is the most valuable thing a community can possess. Wherever it exists there is an added pleasure in living and always a distinct delight and advantage in entering a public gathering on any subject. It exudes an atmosphere—an odor delicious almost—a delightful experience in itself and all its own. If vocalized it could be heard saying: "Welcome! You're one of us!. Sit down and make yourself at home."

From this beginning arises a national (Canadian) consciousness—more valuable still. There are far too many small sects, cliques and coteries among us. For a population of 60,000 it would astonish us to see a complete list of all the religious subdivisions, orders, societies, organizations, associations, clubs and public institutions. In this sense the writer belongs to nothing—nothing at all—and has no intention of ever resigning his individuality to anything other than a complete submergence in the body politic, social and spiritual.

Are we not all Canadians? British? Do we not all read, write and speak the English tongue? Are we not all Christians? All citizens of the same city? Breathe the same air? Doth not the same canopy of heaven overshadow us and the same environment encompass us? Why then the need for all this segregation and subdivision among us?

It may be argued the radio now dispenses with the necessity for large audiences. But is this so? There is a communion with and a vibration from a speaker, preacher, orchestra, which is not transmissible via radio. The living spirit! What is that? Can it be put into a transmitter and wired through an announcer?

There is as much difference between the living message and its mechanical reproduction as exists between chalk and cheese, ripe, fresh fruit and canned goods, real and artificial silk. Synthetic comestibles, whether in the culinary, musical, mental or moral categories, are only (or should be only) tolerable when their prototypes are unattainable.

There is tremendous educational value in large audiences. It is always worth far more than the ticket to sit in Albert Hall, London. It breaks down parochialisms and snobbery, and when a man forms part of a large enough crowd he thereby often gets a truer measure of himself than he entertained before.

There must be many carpenters, bricklayers, stone masons, plumbers, etc., in our city who at this juncture would be much benefited by the erection of a hall as suggested herein.

The idea would be superb could it be embodied in the erection of a new City Hall. Wake up the architects! You have the dollars and cents.

J. STAFFORD.
Devonshire House, Victoria, B.C., January 20, 1936.

YOUTH ACTION FORUM

Sir,—To me the most interesting radio programme so far this week was a new one I heard on Tuesday evening at 8:30 o'clock over Station CFCT.

Being a young man myself, and still, nominally at least, a youth, the programme, "Youth Action Forum," appealed to me, while the interesting manner in which it was presented makes it quite worthy of commendation. The object of the programme, viz., the uniting, on the basis of friendship and co-operation, of the many youth clubs, etc., in the city, certainly represents something in the way of progress.

Every week the "forum" brings to the radio public the latest topics of interest of the youth, members of Victoria's many youth groups, "church, cultural and sports," invited by the directors, participating in the programme.

If the Youth Action Forum is given the support it deserves, undoubtedly this programme will fulfill its object and become the "mouthpiece" of the many youth organizations in the city. The few words of Mr. P. Hartnell on the subject, "Youth and War," last week, spoke volumes.

T. BROOKE
156 Joseph Street, Victoria, B.C., January 23, 1936.

THE CIVIC TAX RATE

Sir,—In reference to your leading editorial in your issue for January 16, I would like to discuss, briefly, the major problem in your concluding paragraph. I do not wish to consider this from the standpoint of Victoria, but from that of abstract economics.

You state: "There has been some consideration given to a proposal for increasing the tax on improvements from 60 to 75 per cent. That would be a distinctly retrograde step and would arouse a good deal of popular protest. Moreover, it would be an assured way of increasing the reversion of property to municipal ownership, and thus decreasing civic revenues in the long run."

I quite agree with you when you say: "It would arouse a good deal of popular protest." So it would in many other places that have had, or are having, difficulties in financing. Twenty years ago, South Vancouver screamed as loudly as any with the thought of financial pain. The receiver had to tax 50 per cent of the value of improvements to get it out of the mire. Eight years ago, the civic leaders of the city of North Vancouver, and of the district of North Vancouver, were much angered when I challenged their solvency and stated that the tax burden on vacant property should be lessened and on improved property increased. A receivership "did" follow and also an increased tax on improvements. When the ratio of reversions of vacant to improved properties is as 4,000 to 200, something is decidedly wrong in the hook-up. Since the owners of improved properties are generally near, while the owners of vacant properties are so often absent, the voice and vote of the one class is given attention, while the voice of the other may be easily ignored. This partiality towards the improved properties has so developed that it is now a clumsy, though legalized, theft—and what good is the loot to the residents? Municipal action at the behest of a popular protest may be only a refined species of lynch law.

From the standpoint of economics, a tax on 75 per cent of improvements is financially more sound than that on 60 per cent, and if increased to 100 per cent investments in improved properties would be sounder still. Vacant properties would also recover some of their attractiveness.

Where taxes are imposed on the land only, the number of tax dollars paid on a land unit must continually increase with the increase of population and development. Since all other sources of revenue are ear-marked for roads, bridges or the consolidated revenue fund, the tax on improvements is all that is left to a municipality to use as a flexible tax base to provide for an increasing population. Each new house or workshop gives an increase to the tax base, which increase should be large enough to provide for the municipal expenses for the new enterprise. If a given tax rate on the taxed value of the improvement provides more money than the actual new expenses incurred, then, and only then, can a tax rate be reduced, unless we receive gifts, or slash fixed charges.

Since an investment in improved properties demands municipal services, and is an actual source of revenue to the owner, why should it receive "preferred treatment" as against a similar investment in vacant land? According to reports the American Government has lately been paying huge sums to the farmers to keep their land vacant. They have realized that until population and business require it, land held vacant is an insurance on some value remaining in improved properties. Why should we not recognize this and readjust our taxing systems for financial solidity? The only way to escape the burden of taxation is to adjust the load fairly on all shoulders. Victoria's reversion ratio of 4,000 to 200 carries its own proof that the tax base ratio of 100 to 60 is not equitable.

R. E. COLLIS,
Duncan, B.C., January 20, 1936.

A negro called at the hospital and said: "I called to see how mah frien' Joe Brown was getting along."

The nurse said: "Why, he's getting along fine; he's convalescing now."

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MARINE, RAIL and AIR

Value of Canada's Deep-Sea Fisheries Registers Advance

Increase of $2,391,000 in First Eleven Months Of 1935—Trade With United Kingdom Shows Big Gain

Just how big the increase will be can't be known until trade figures for the month of December are made up, and that won't be for a few days yet, but Canada's export trade in fisheries products during 1935 was better than it had been in 1934 by a very tidy sum.

In the first eleven months of the year, January-November, the export business, as shown by official Canadian records, amounted in round figures to $22,833,000, which represented an increase of $2,391,000 over the trade for the like period of 1934. One or two market factors over which the Dominion has no control bring some likelihood, though, of course, no certainty, that December export sales will be found to have been somewhat smaller than they were in 1934, but even if that should happen, the decrease is not likely to reduce the January-November gain very greatly.

BALD STATISTICS

Here in bald statistical form, are some of the main points of interest in connection with the export business between January 1 and November 30, with round figures used in all cases for simplicity's sake:

Sales to the United States totalled $9,270,000, or $780,700 more than in January-November 1934.

Sales to the United Kingdom amounted to $6,447,300, a gain of $1,117,000.

Exports of canned fish and shellfish had a total of $9,890,000, an increase of $1,601,600.

Total business in fresh and frozen fish shipped abroad was $8,261,400, a betterment of $1,012,600.

Export markets purchased Canadian canned salmon to the value of $6,921,800, or $1,711,500 more than in January-November, 1934; British Columbia produces virtually all of the Dominion's canned salmon.

Sales of canned salmon to the United Kingdom (over $3,995,000) increased by $828,000.

Australia bought canned salmon worth $1,687,500, an increase of $576,650.

Shipments of drysalted herring to the Orient were worth $449,000, a gain of 85 per cent.

Exports of canned sardines—New Brunswick is the only producing province—amounted to $408,000, increasing by close to $56,000.

BEST CUSTOMER

While most of Canada's exports of fresh and frozen fish go to the United States, the sales of salmon and halibut to Great Britain have risen sharply of late years, and in January-November, 1935, they amounted to $635,500, in the case of salmon, and $193,800 in the case of halibut, an increase of $69,150 in the one instance and $75,000 in the other.

Of course there were drops as well as rise in 1935's January-November business. For example, mainly as the result of unsettlement in foreign markets for dried fish, there was a small decrease in the total value of shipments in the dried and pickled fish classification. Exports of dried cod, mainly from Nova Scotia and Quebec, were valued at $1,418,000, as against $1,797,450 in the preceding January-November. Canned lobster sales abroad, $2,243,850, decrease by $185,000, notwithstanding that there was a gain of over $179,000 in the business with the United Kingdom. Exportation of fish meal, $201,600, decreased by 50 per cent and more, and exports of fish oil, not quite $297,000, showed a drop of $21,700.

But the main thing, of course, is that fisheries export business, as a whole, was a good deal better than in 1934.

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NEW SCHEDULE OF NORMANDIE

French Line Flagship Will Call at British Port In And Outbound

The new French Line flagship, Normandie, which, like the other ships of the French Line's trans-Atlantic service, has been using Southampton as her English port of call on westbound crossings and Plymouth on eastbound trips, will use Southampton for both east and westbound crossings when she re-enters service next Spring, according to advices received by the Empire Shipping Co., Ltd., British Columbia general agents for the line.

Plymouth will be retained as the eastbound English port of call by the Ile de France, Champlain and Lafayette, the other units of the French Line's trans-Atlantic fleet, which will continue to use Southampton as their port of call on crossings from Havre to New York.

TO RE-ENTER SERVICE

The Ss. Paris, former flagship of the French Line's trans-Atlantic fleet, and laid off service with the entrance of the Normandie into service last season, will re-enter the service as a cabin-class ship, sailing from Havre on March 11, and from New York, March 21. She will make eight or nine round trips, in addition to a Labor Day cruise between New York and Bermuda, lasting five days.

The Paris, formerly accommodating first, tourist and third-class passengers, will now only carry cabin, tourist and third-class.

Changes on the French Line's personnel in New York passenger service staff have been announced by Morin de Linclays, resident general manager of the line, and include the transfer of Jean Berry, assistant passenger traffic manager, to the post of general agent in Washington, D.C., and of Harry Murphy, now in that position in the capital, to New York, where he will become assistant passenger traffic manager under Marcel Delaporte, the passenger traffic manager. Murphy is Canadian born, having been born in Ottawa thirty-six years ago, and the son of a retired iron and steel manufacturer. Both these men have a wide acquaintance among trans-Atlantic travelers and travel agents throughout the United States and Canada, as well as abroad.

Shipping Calendar

TO ARRIVE

MODAVIA—United Kingdom, January 20
PRESIDENT GRANT—Philippines, China and Japan, January 22.
HEIAN MARU (Vancouver) — Japan, January 22.
AORANGI—Australia, New Zealand, Fiji and Hawaii, January 24.
LOCHKATRINE—United Kingdom, January 25.
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TO DEPART

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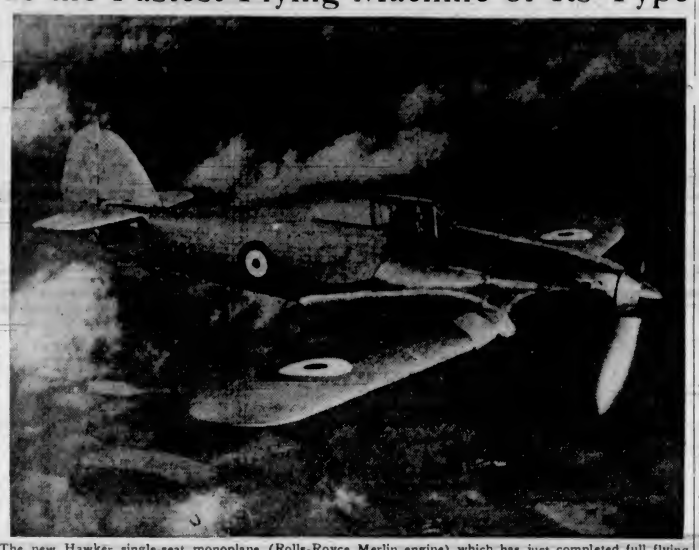

The new Hawker single-seat monoplane (Rolls-Royce Merlin engine) which has just completed full flying tests in the hands of the Hawker Company's chief test pilot. Details of performance of this formidable new defence plane may not yet be published, but it is known to be by far the fastest machine of its type which has yet taken the air.

David Kirkendale Third Officer on Donaldson Vessel

Captain George Kirkendale, harbor master, received a cablegram from his son, David, during the week. It came from Glasgow, and stated that he had been successful in securing a third mate's berth aboard the Donaldson Line Ss. Airthira, running from British to St. Lawrence ports.

Getting this position, David will now be in line for further promotion as he qualifies for higher officer certificates. He is a product of the Rainbow Sea Cadets and acquired knowledge while in the local organization which has helped him immensely in his chosen calling.

BOW DAMAGED IN COLLISION

Lady Cynthia and Railway Barge Crash in First Narrows, Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Jan. 23 (CP).—Ss. Lady Cynthia was ready for service to Powell River again today after undergoing slight repairs to the starboard bow, damaged last night in a collision with a Pacific Great Eastern barge in the Narrows.

Union Steamship Company officials report the Cynthia, inbound from Powell River, and the barge, inbound from Squamish, were passing into Burrard Inlet when a tide rip in the First Narrows carried the barge into the path of the other vessel.

Repairs were made to the Cynthia overnight at the Burrard drydock at North Vancouver. More extensive repairs will be made when the vessel is generally overhauled within the next few months.

Train Is Held by Minor Derailment On National Road

VANCOUVER, Jan. 23 (CP).—Canadian National Railway Company's passenger train No. 1, due here at 9 a.m. today, was delayed by a minor derailment three miles east of Hope, B.C.

The engine, baggage car and two coaches left the track, but were not damaged. The train was traveling slowly at the time.

The accident was due to a broken rail caused when a rock rolled down the mountain and struck the track, officials believe.

For the first time in the history of British Christianity, the Moderator of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland preached in Westminster Abbey. The Scottish dignitary is Rev. Dr. Marshall Lang, the blood brother of Most Rev. Cosmo Gordon Lang, Archbishop of Canterbury and Primate of All England. The Presbyterian organ, Life and Work, says in its editorial: "We welcome as a gesture of friendliness to our church as a whole the invitation which has been extended to our ecclesiastical head."

Railways Extend Traveling Limits On Tickets

MONTREAL, Jan. 23.—Owing to the fact that the funeral of His Late Majesty, King George V, will be held on Tuesday, January 28, and will be a day of national mourning in Canada, the Canadian railways have arranged that all tickets reading between Canadian points, which would normally expire on Monday, January 27, will be honored to commence journeys up until Tuesday midnight, according to an announcement this morning by C. P. Riddell, chairman of the Canadian Passenger Association. This announcement, he said, will be of special interest to holders of week-end tickets and to commercial travelers.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

Weather Report

ESTEVAN—Partly cloudy; calm; 30.20; 45; moderate swell
LEONARD ISLAND — Partly cloudy; calm; 30.14; light swell
PACHENA—Overcast; calm; 30.20; 45; light swell.
CARMANAH — Overcast; calm; 30.24; moderate swell
CAPE BEALE—Overcast; calm; 30.20; light swell.

Wireless Report

(Estevan, 8 p.m., unless otherwise stated)
PRINCESS MAQUINNA—At Ahousat at 4 p.m., northbound.
WAIRUNA—Bound Vancouver, 876 miles from Vancouver.
HADLEIGH—Bound Vancouver, 250 miles south of Estevan.
EVERLEIGH — Bound Vancouver, 700 miles south of Estevan.
NORTHLAND—Prince Rupert to Seattle, 160 miles from Seattle.

Gulf Island Mail

GANGES, SALIANA, MAYNE, PENDER ISLAND, PORT WASHINGTON, SALTSPRING ISLAND
Mails close Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 11:15 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m.
Mails due Monday, 7:15 p.m.; Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 7:15 a.m.

BEAVER POINT, FULFORD HARBOR
Mails close Tuesday, 10 a.m.; Wednesday, Friday, 11:15 p.m.
Mails due Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 7:15 a.m.

SATURNA
Mails close Sunday, Wednesday, 11:15 p.m.
Mails due Monday, 7:15 p.m.; Friday, 15 a.m.

SOUTH PENDER
Mails close Sunday, Wednesday, 11:15 p.m.
Mails due Monday, 7:15 p.m.; Friday, 7:15 a.m.

MUSGRAVE
Mails close Tuesday, 10 a.m.; Friday 11:15 p.m.
Mails due Sunday, Wednesday, 7:15 a.m.

NORTH GALIANO
Mails close Sunday, 11:15 p.m.

Northern Points

PRINCE RUPERT AND POINTS WEST OF FORESTDALE
Mails close Mondays, Wednesday, Friday and via C.P.R. Skagway steamers, 1:15 p.m.
Mails due Monday, 3.30 p.m.; Sunday and Friday, 7.15 a.m.

PRINCE RUPERT
Mails close Monday, Wednesday, Saturday, 11:15 p.m., via Kamloops and Jasper.
Mails due Monday, Thursday, Saturday, 3.30 p.m.

POINTS ON C.N.R. BETWEEN PRINCE RUPERT AND RED PASS
Mails close Monday, Wednesday, Saturday, 11:15 p.m.
Mails due Monday, Thursday, Saturday, 3.30 p.m.

STEWART, PREMIER AND ANYOX
Mails close Monday, Friday, 1:15 p.m.
Mails due Monday, 3.30 p.m.; Sunday, 7.15 p.m.

SWANSON BAY
Mails close Tuesday, 1.15 p.m.
Mails due Monday, 3.30 p.m.

OCEAN FALLS
Mails close Monday, Wednesday, 1:15 p.m.
Mails due Sunday, 7:15 a.m.

Coasting Craft

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria at 2 p.m. daily for Vancouver, Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive daily at Victoria from Vancouver at 3.30 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elizabeth or Ss. Princess Joan will leave Victoria daily for Vancouver at 12 midnight; Ss. Princess Elizabeth or Ss. Princess Joan will arrive Victoria daily from Vancouver at 7 a.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria at 4.30 p.m. daily for Seattle; Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive daily at Victoria from Seattle.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE — Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 9 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois arrives in Victoria daily from Seattle at 8.35 a.m.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaina will leave Nanaimo daily except Saturday and Sunday at 8 a.m. and 3.30 p.m., arriving at Nanaimo daily except Saturday and Sunday at 1:15 p.m. and 5.45 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaina will leave Nanaimo Saturday only at 8 a.m., 2.30 p.m. and 9.15 p.m., arriving at Nanaimo Saturday only at 1:15 p.m. and 5.45 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaina will leave Nanaimo on Sunday only at 8.45 p.m., arrives at Nanaimo on Sunday only at 1:15 p.m. and 11:15 p.m.

VICTORIA-WEST COAST — Ss. Princess Maquinna will leave Victoria for West Coast of Vancouver Island ports on the first, eleventh and twenty-first of each month at 11 p.m.

VANCOUVER-NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA—Ss. Princess Adelaide will leave Vancouver every Wednesday for Prince Rupert and way ports at 8 p.m.; Ss. Prince Rupert or Ss. Prince George will leave Vancouver for Stewart and way ports every Monday at 9 p.m.; Ss. Cardena will leave Vancouver every Tuesday at 8 p.m. for Prince Rupert and way ports; Ss. Catala will leave Vancouver every Friday at 8 p.m. for Stewart and way ports.

VANCOUVER — QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS—Ss. Prince Charles will leave Vancouver every alternate Saturday for Queen Charlotte Island points and Prince Rupert at 5 p.m.

SWANSON BAY-FULFORD HARBOR — My Cy Peck will leave Swanson Bay daily, except Wednesdays, at 9:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.; My Cy Peck will leave Fulford Harbor daily, except Wednesdays, at 8:15 a.m. and 4 p.m.

BRENTWOOD-MILL BAY—My Cascade leaves Brentwood daily at 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 12 noon, 2 p.m., 3 p.m., 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.; My Cascade leaves Mill Bay daily at 9.30 a.m., 10.30 a.m., 11.30 a.m., 12.30 p.m., 2.30 p.m., 3.30 p.m., 4.30 p.m. and 5.30 p.m.

VICTORIA - GULF ISLANDS — Princess Mary leaves Victoria every Tuesday for James Island, Piers Island, Port Washington, Ganges Harbor, Mayne Island, Galiano Island and Vancouver at 10.30 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES—Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Port Angeles at 9 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 8.35 a.m.

SIDNEY-ANACORTES—Ss. Rosario will leave Sidney daily for Anacortes at 1.45 p.m.; Ss. Rosario will arrive Sidney daily from Anacortes at 1:15 p.m.

West Coast Mails

Mails close 10 p.m., 2nd, 11th and 21st of each month for Ahousat, Bamfield, Ceepecea, Clayoquot, Clo-oose, Ecoole, Esteven Point, Kakawis, Kildonan, Kyuquot, Nootka, Port Alberni, Port Renfrew, Sechart, Tofino, Ucluelet. Due 1:15 p.m., 8th 18th and 28th of each month, except
Mails close 10 p.m., 21st each month, and 9.45 a.m., 22nd each month, for Centre Island. Due 1:15 p.m., 28th of each month.
Mails close 9.45 a.m., 8th, 18th and 26th of each month, except Sundays, for Clo-oose, Port Renfrew, Bamfield and Kildonan.
Mails close 8:45 a.m., Thursday and Saturday, for Bamfield, Ecoole, Kildonan, Ecoose.
San Mateo, Sechart, Ucluelet. Due 6:10 p.m., Tuesday and Saturday.
Mails close 11:15 p.m., Monday, and 1 p.m., Friday, for Holberg, Port Alice, Quatsino. Due 7 a.m., Tuesday and Friday.
Mails close 10 p.m., 1st of each month, and 9.45 a.m., 2nd of each month, for Cachalot. Due 1:15 p.m., 8th of each month.

British Mails

SS. LANCASTRIA—Mails close 1:15 p.m., January 21.
SS. NEWFOUNDLAND—Mails close 1:15 p.m., January 22.
SS. BERENGARIA (Via New York)—Mails close 4 p.m., January 23.
SS. ILE DE FRANCE (Via New York)—Mails close 4 p.m., January 24.
SS. DUCHESS OF BEDFORD — Mails close 1.15 p.m., January 26.
SS. EUROPA (Via New York)—Mails close 4 p.m., January 28.
Mail intended for transmission via New York must be so marked. When sent by air over United States lines, mail may be posted three days later than the dates indicated.

WEST INDIES GENERALLY
Mails close 1:15 p.m., January 21 and 23.
JAMAICA
Mails close 1:15 p.m., January 24 and 26.

Transpacific Mails

CHINA AND JAPAN
PRESIDENT McKINLEY—Mails close 4 p.m., January 18. Due at Yokohama, January 31; Shanghai, February 4; Hongkong, February 7.
*HIYE MARU—Mails close 11:15 p.m., January 22. Due at Yokohama, February 4.
PRESIDENT GRANT—Mails close 4 p.m., February 1. Due at Yokohama, February 14; Shanghai, February 18; Hongkong, February 21.
*Mails for Japan only.
†Carries mail for Honolulu.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND
MAUNGANUI (Via San Francisco)—Mails close 11:15 p.m., January 12. Due at Wellington, February 5; Sydney, February 8.
AORANGI—Mails close 4 p.m., January 29. Due at Auckland, February 17; Sydney, February 22.

Canadian Air Mail Service

Mails close at Victoria, 6.30 a.m., Monday. Arrive London, Ont. (via Detroit), 8:10 a.m., Wednesday; Hamilton, Ont. (via Buffalo), 8 a.m. Wednesday; Toronto (via Buffalo), 11 a.m., Wednesday; Ottawa, 5:20 p.m., Wednesday; Montreal, 11:20 a.m., Wednesday; Winnipeg (via Fargo), 10.30 a.m., Wednesday; Saint John, N.B., 8.55 a.m., Thursday; Halifax, N.S., 8:45 p.m., Thursday.
Mails close at Victoria, 4 p.m., Monday. Arrive London, Ont. (via Detroit).

Queen Charlotte Mails

VIA VANCOUVER — Mails close 11:15 p.m., January 23, February 8 and 20, and March 5 and 19.
VIA PRINCE RUPERT—Mails close 1.15 p.m., January 29, February 12 and 26, and March 11 and 25.
†Tri-ell to Prince Rupert only.

PRAISE FOR OLD VESSEL

Skipper Speaks Feelingly of Niagara Although in Love With Aorangi

Although he still thinks a lot about his old command, the Niagara, Captain T. V. Hill is evidently very much taken with his new love, the fine motorship Aorangi. He knows both vessels, having relieved on the Aorangi a number of times before being promoted from the former to the latter ship.

Talking about the two ships yesterday, Captain Hill paid the Niagara many compliments, including the best one a sailor can pay any craft. "She's a splendid little sea boat," he stated emphatically.

Naturally, after serving on the bridge of a ship over a period of years, a skipper is likely to develop a soft spot or two for his charge, and Captain Hill is apparently no exception, but at the same time he cannot hide his pleasure when he says things in reference to the fine ship on which he is making his first voyage in the regular berth of permanent master.

SEVENTEEN KNOTS

The Aorangi came in from Sydney yesterday via way ports and Captain Hill said the ship encountered fine weather all the way, and slipped along after she left Honolulu in the neighborhood of seventeen knots an hour, making one of the fastest passages between the Hawaiian port and Victoria to date. The liner docked here shortly before 1 o'clock.

There was only a small list of travelers aboard the Aorangi this trip, a number of whom left the ship here and proceeded to Seattle later in the afternoon by ferry. Local and United States mails were also landed and considerable general cargo was left on the ocean docks before she continued to Vancouver a. 2:30 o'clock.

Passengers on the Aorangi included Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Dey, the former being agent of the Canadian Pacific Railway at Nanaimo, returning from a holiday trip which took them as far as New Zealand, and Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Jackson, the former being a director of Australian Paper Manufacturers, Limited, making a business tour of the United States.

OTHERS ARRIVING

Other travelers included Mrs. M. T. Adams and son, Mrs. E. M. Anderson, Miss F.E. Austin, P. Cromie, Miss J. Eldridge, Captain and Mrs. F. W. Haig, Mrs. W. Heale, Miss A. L. Heale, G. N. Hair, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Inman, Miss M. G. Johnson, Mrs. M. L. Sutcliffe, L. Arnold, Miss M. A. Baum, Miss J. Barker, J. R. Callow, R. D. Combe, P. Freeman, A. A. Hartley, Mrs. B. Irish, Mrs. F. L. Kirchener, T. Monroe, Miss M. C. Morrison, Mrs. M. Meanea, E. E Manke, Rev. J. P. MacQueen, Miss M. T. McIntyre, R. Peel, Miss N. F. Peppercorn, Miss W. M. Peppercorn, Miss L. Paterson, Mrs. M. Peterson and Miss B. M. Sleddon.

Also aboard were Mrs. E. Smith, Mrs. A. G. Weightman, Mrs. W. C. Wallis, Miss M. E. Wallis, J. A. Weddell, Miss D. Winkler, Mrs. A. Credzey, Miss A. Conroy, W. J. Clements, A. C. Garrett, F. C. Jameson, V. Lacy, W. H. Ramsay, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Sainsbury and Mrs. M. Wilkinson.

PRICE-CUTTING TO BE STOPPED

Federal Minister Deprecates Unfair Competition — Uniform Schedule Promised

SAINT JOHN, N.B., Jan. 23 (CP).—Desire of the Dominion Government is not to eliminate fair competition among national ports, but to put an end to such cut-throat tactics as one port "underselling" another to get business, Hon. C. D. Howe, Minister of Railways and Canals and Minister of Marine, said here last night.

"We don't want to eliminate fair competition," he stated. "We still want the ports to compete and go after all the business they can get. But we intend to stop price-cutting by ports, and work out a uniform schedule of charges that will be fair to all."

VANCOUVER SHIPPING

VANCOUVER, Jan. 23 (CP).—The freighter Trelissick is due here on Monday and Ss. Anglo-Canadian reported today. Both vessels will load full with lumber for Sydney, N.S.W.

Peter (Pete) Slater, veteran Nippon Yusen Kaisha watchman, who is known by practically everyone along the waterfront, is today receiving congratulations on his seventy-sixth birthday.

Slater has been employed on Vancouver waterfront for many years and claims to be as fit today as he was two-score years ago.

He is a cousin of the late Bob Leighton and is still on the rolls at Temple Bar, London, as a solicitor. He was employed on the waterfront here for years by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company and when automatically retired by advancing years, he joined the Japanese company as a watchman for their ships when they are in port.

Honolulu Mails

Mails close 11:15 p.m., January 6, 12, 14, 18, 19, 21, 22, 26 and 29, and February 1, 3, 4 and 8.
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—Mails close 4 p.m., January 8.
AORANGI—Mails close 4 p.m., January 29.
EMPRESS OF JAPAN—Mails close 4 p.m., February 8.

SUSPENDING ITS SERVICE

Freight Ships of Pacific Steamship Lines Being Laid Up

SEATTLE, Jan. 23.—Adding fifteen ships to the total of sixty-six American freighters tied up on the Pacific Coast, almost entirely on account of labor troubles, the Pacific Steamship Lines yesterday announced suspension of freighter service.

The suspension is effective at once except for carriers now en route or with cargoes nearly loaded.

According to the announcement in San Francisco made by W. J. Bush, manager of the company, carried by the International News Service, the act was forced by "extraordinary conditions resulting in prohibitive operating costs."

MADE RELUCTANTLY

"This announcement is made most reluctantly," Bush said. "We have tried as hard as any humans could try to keep this service going. But we are faced with extraordinary conditions that render the costs of operation prohibitive."

While neither Bush nor John Cormode, assistant to the vice-president of the company here, assigned labor difficulties as the reason for the tie-up, Seattle waterfront leaders saw in it only a continuation of the conditions which have resulted during the past few weeks in laying up of a fleet of American ships totaling eighty-one.

First vessels affected by labor unrest were the steam schooners, the initial three or four laying up when the crews demanded a six-hour day in port with one dollar an hour overtime.

It quickly spread until virtually every ship in this class operating on Puget Sound, Oregon and California routes, a total of sixty-two carriers, eventually became idle.

Two more sailings only, of Pacific Steamship freighters, are scheduled from Seattle, according to John Cormode: The Admiral Chase, Saturday, for San Francisco and Wilmington, and the Admiral Nulton, January 28, for San Francisco, Alameda and Wilmington.

One arrival here is listed, the Admiral Laws, due Saturday.

About 450 men, ships' personnel, are affected at once.

Of these, about 125 seamen and officers reside in Seattle, while thirty employees are on the regular shore pay-roll.

Yukon and Atlin Mails

VIA VANCOUVER—Mails close 1.15 p.m., January 24 and February 7 and 21.
VIA SEATTLE—Mails close 4 p.m., January 31 and February 14 and 28.

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PUPILS GUESTS OF ROTARIANS

Prizes for Club's Annual Seed Contest Distributed At Luncheon

Pupils and teachers of nine country schools were guests of the Victoria Rotary Club at the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon on the occasion of presentation of prizes for the club's annual seed contest. Neil Lamont and Professor E. M. Straight directed the prize giving.

Sidney School was awarded the Rotary Club Cup for the best school exhibit. It was received by the principal, James Ramsay. The Keating School was second, and West Saanich School third.

Individual prize winners were Donald Vantreight, Royal Oak School; Campbell Warrender, Sidney School, and Laura Young, Keating School. Donald Vantreight also received a cup donated by Mrs. R. P. Butchart.

Certificates and gifts were awarded to Irene Villiers, Sidney; Roy Jackson, Keating; Allan Duval, Prospect Lake; David Moir, Langford; Myrtle Sluggett, West Saanich; Kenneth Clark, Shirley; Bernard Kellow, Royal Oak; James Horwood, Sooke, and Laurence Jones, Saanichton.

Certificates were awarded to Maud Harmeuse and Maurice Mitchell, Keating; Lizette de Lure, West Saanich; Bruce Baker and Lorie Roberts, Sidney, and Raymond Clark, Shirley.

DID DRAKE PLANT ACORNS IN CITY?

J. B. Munro, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, Says Legend Well Founded

Did Sir Francis Drake beach the Golden Hind somewhere about Ross Bay in 1579 and step ashore to plant English acorns which later produced Victoria's famous oak trees?

J. B. Munro, deputy minister of agriculture, told members of the Rotary Club yesterday that the legend was well-founded. He touched briefly upon the matter while giving an account of early attempts at gardening and agriculture upon Vancouver Island.

Mr. Munro told how James McKay arrived at Nootka in 1786 as surgeon to the vessels Experiment and Captain Cook, commanded by Captains Lawrie and Guise. There were many aboard suffering from scurvy, so McKay later put them to work building a garden while they regained their strength.

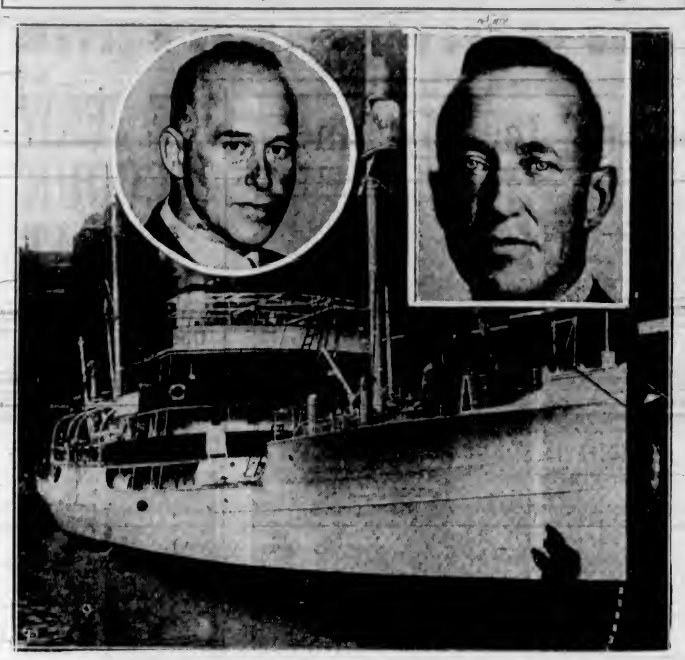
McKay offered to remain in the delightful spot, and was provided with two goats, seeds and implements for agriculture. He left Nootka with Captain Charles William Barkley aboard the Imperial Eagle in 1787.

Spaniards made a garden at Nootka which was considered one of the finest on the whole coast. When they relinquished possession of that part of the Island to Captain George Vancouver, they left behind much livestock, poultry and many imported plants. They also left behind rats, which have been a pest on the West Coast ever since, Mr. Munro related.

He closed by paying high tribute to the Victoria Rotary Club for twelve unbroken years of fostering gardening among boys and girls.

Tom: "Do you play golf?" Ellen: "Oh, dear no. I don't even know how to hold the caddie."

Antarctic Flyers and Rescue Ship



On orders from the British Government, the scientific expedition ship Discovery II changed her course and headed for the Bay of Whales in the Antarctic Ocean to search for Lincoln Ellsworth and his Canadian pilot, Herbert Hollick-Kenyon, who have been missing since November 23. First sighting the plane, the Discovery later found Ellsworth and Kenyon safe and sound. Both explorer-flyers were taken aboard. Layout above shows the Discovery II, Herbert Hollick-Kenyon, left, and Lincoln Ellsworth, right.

At the Theatres

"ANNIE OAKLEY" IS AT DOMINION

Barbara Stanwyck Portrays Famous Woman Rifle Shot in Historic Romance

One of the most paradoxical characters in all American history, the first woman to invade a field heretofore strictly man's, lives again in "Annie Oakley," now at the Dominion Theatre, with Barbara Stanwyck starred in the title role.

History finds no parallel to Annie Oakley, a country girl from Darke County, Ohio, who, fifty years ago, became the most deadly rifle shot alive, attaining international fame with the Buffalo Bill Wild West Show.

At the age of nine Annie Oakley was supporting her family by shooting quail for the dining tables of a Cincinnati hotel. In five years she paid off the mortgage on the family farm. She joined the Buffalo Bill Show, out-shot the famous Colonel Cody himself, and became the toast of America, England and Europe. Beautiful, kindly, generous, wholly feminine, Annie was beloved by all. Splitting a playing card and peppering a card scaled into the air with thirteen rifle bullets before it fell to the ground, were among her many astonishing feats.

AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen

Capitol—"She Couldn't Take It," starring Joan Bennett.

Columbia—Victor McLaglen in "Under Pressure."

Dominion—"Annie Oakley," starring Barbara Stanwyck.

Little Orpheum—Charles Laughton in "Ruggles of Red Gap."

Playhouse—"The Goose and the Gander," starring Kay Francis.

LITTLE ORPHEUM THEATRE Charles Laughton, well-known English actor, is now appearing on the screen of the Little Orpheum Theatre in "Ruggles of Red Gap," one of the outstanding comedies of the season. This is the first time Charles Laughton has been featured in a comedy role. Mary Boland and Charlie Ruggles are also in the cast.

COLUMBIA THEATRE Hollywood's extra ranks were practically denuded of athletes during the making of "Under Pressure," Fox Film production now showing at the Columbia Theatre. More than 100 of the huskiest physical specimens available were drafted to serve as tunnel workers, including Jim Thorpe, Paul Schwegler, Bob Hall, Hueston Harper and other noted football stars.

CAPITOL THEATRE George Raft and Joan Bennett top the stellar array of supporting payers in Columbia's "She Couldn't Take It," which closes today at the Capital Theatre. Others in the large cast are Walter Connolly, Billie Burke, Lloyd Nolan, Wallace Ford, James Blakely, Donald Meek and Alan Mowbray. Tay Garnett directed the film from a screen play by Oliver H. P. Garrett. Original story is credited to Gene Towne and Graham Baker.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE Von and Cyclone, a Great Dane and a German police dog, have important roles with Kay Francis in "The Goose and the Gander," a Warner Bros. picture now showing at the Playhouse. The dogs were trained by Henry East and did their work so well that no retakes were necessary in the scenes in which they appeared—a matter difficult even for human actors.

EXCELSIOR LIFE REPORTS GAINS

Company Has Increase of 38 Per Cent in New Insurance in Year

ALEX. FASKEN, K.C.

The forty-sixth annual report of the Excelsior Life Insurance Company was presented at the annual meeting by President Alex Fasken, K.C. The report is most encouraging and reflects a marked upward trend.

New insurance, fully paid, totaled $12,891,944 for the year—an increase of 38 per cent over 1934—while the total insurance in force at the close of 1935 amounted to $92,313,319.49—an increase of $3,238,585.15 for the year, representing a gain of 3.6 per cent.

The total income for the year was $3,606,457.88. Of this sum, $2,616,654.02 represents net premium income.

PAYMENTS TO POLICYHOLDERS

Payments during the year to policyholders or their beneficiaries totaled $2,114,521.57. Of this amount $516,402.03 was paid in death claims, $430,056.44 paid on account of matured endowment and investment policies, $317,602.05 paid as profits to policyholders, and $850,416.05 paid in surrender values, disability payments, annuities, etc. Of the Excelsior Life's payments in 1935 to policyholders or their beneficiaries, 76 per cent was to living policyholders and 24 per cent was in payment of death claims.

A. J. Heimcken is the district supervisor, with offices in the Pemberton Building.

"I went out with £5 and returned without a penny."

"In these hard times?"

"Yes, I lost my purse."—Il 420, Florence

APPEALS BRING NO ALTERATION

Hannay and Jones Pleas Fail Before Court of Appeal Here

In the Court of Appeal, yesterday, most of the day was taken up with argument in the criminal appeals in which George Hannay and W. H. Jones, who were convicted and sentenced to seven years each at the Nanaimo Assizes, were the appellants. In both instances, the convictions were sustained, the court finding no reason to interfere with the decisions of the trial judge. A second appeal, taken by the Crown against the acquittal of Hannay on another charge of theft of grease and oil from the Union Oil Company, was dismissed.

The two accused also went before Acting Chief Justice Martin at noon and sought leave to take an appeal against the sentences, but His Lordship found nothing to justify granting the leave to appeal and refused it.

In arguing the case put up by Hannay, Arthur Leighton, for the Crown, took up the allegation made by Hannay that objectionable expressions had been used by counsel before the trial judge, to the effect that the accused, Hannay, was a very dangerous man and intimating he had been robbing.

MEETS ALLEGATION

Mr. Leighton produced affidavits from the court stenographer, the sheriff of Nanaimo, the registrar of the court and one of the jurors not on the panel to the effect that no such statement was made by him.

The appellant also complained of the fact that he had not been properly advised as to postponements of the court, and was deprived from getting evidence in his favor. He also complained, on the other hand, that he was not given leave for an adjournment in order to get evidence.

Acting Chief Justice Martin pointed out the trial judge, Mr. Justice Robertson, had refused and there was no appeal on that score to the Court of Appeal.

The acting chief justice further pointed out the accused, according to the finding of the trial judge, had been caught "red-handed".

ALLEGES FRAME-UP

The co-appellant, Jones, complained that the man who came over from Vancouver, and induced them to go out on a hunting expedition, and who insisted upon Hannay going, had come purposely to carry out a "frame-up".

In the other case, in which Hannay was acquitted on a charge of having stolen keys and oil from the Union Oil Company, Mr. Leighton sought to establish guilt against the accused because he had sold a four-gallon tin of oil similar to that sold by the Union Oil Company in its places of business in the province.

The trial judge had refused the argument on the ground that the material, found in the possession of the accused, was of standard type, with no distinguishing mark to show that it was taken from the station in Nanaimo.

Mr. Leighton contended it was proved that the keys, in the possession of the accused, were taken from the office of the manager of the oil company, that, therefore, the inference was to be drawn other goods were taken from the same place.

Acting Chief Justice Martin pointed out that there having been a rejection of this as evidence, by Mr. Justice Murphy and later by Mr. Justice Robertson, the Court of Appeal had to act very carefully before over-ruling these judgments of two other judges.

The appeal of the Crown was dismissed, which left the accused, Hannay, unconvicted of that charge laid.

PREPARING FOR LOGGING CAMP

LAKE COWICHAN, Jan. 23.—Messrs. Cameron and Ross, who hope to commence logging operations at the beginning of February, are making a road up the mountainside, at Mile 15, E. & N., a gas shovel being used for the purpose. The logs will be brought down by tractor to the yarder, which is situated near Ripps Road. A six-car spur has been laid to connect with the E. & N. and about 40,000 feet per day will be put out, which will give employment to about twenty men.

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OAK BAY WILL HAVE ELECTION

Four Candidates Are Seeking Three Seats on Council —Polling Tomorrow

The municipality of Oak Bay, which has a reputation for electing members of the respective municipal bodies by acclamation, is this year to have an election for the council. Four candidates are seeking the three council vacancies, and polling will take place tomorrow at the Municipal Hall between the hours of 8 a.m. and 8 p.m.

The four nominees who are standing for election are Councillor John V. Johnson, Walter Leonard Woodhouse, Raymond F. Castle and Phillip Archibald Gibbs.

Councillor Johnson has been a member of the council for the past two years, and Mr. Woodhouse has served as police commissioner during the same period. Messrs. Gibbs and Castle are in the field for municipal office for the first time.

At the close of nominations on Monday, the following were elected by acclamation: Reeve, R. R. Taylor; school board, S. J. Drake, R. W. Murdoch and Charles Nickerson; police commissioner, W. A. Burnett, and for one years' term on council, Captain Percy Vernon-Jackson.

VETERANS SELECT BRANCH OFFICERS

W. Childs Heads T.V. Section, Canadian Legion—Convention Delegates Also Named

T. W. Allen, secretary-treasurer of Victoria Branch No. 18, Tuberculous Veterans, Canadian Legion, announced yesterday that W. Childs had been appointed president of the organization.

Other officers are as follows: Vice-president, A. E. Nix; second vice-president, E. V. Robley; finance committee, R. S. Standerwick, H. Gibson and A. E. Nix; sick committee, H. Gibson, F. J. Crowhurst, E. Kean and A. Clarke; house committee chairman, F. V. Banks; membership committee, L. Whitlaw and H. Gibson; district council representatives, E. V. Robley, with the president and secretary; entertainment committee chairman, A. E. Clarke; employment committee, the whole executive; Canadian Legion convention delegates, W. Childs, and E. V. Robley; auditor, F. J. Crowhurst.

Mrs. D. W. Burnett was selected president of the Ladies' Auxiliary.

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6	8:05	4:32	22	7:55	4:55
7	8:05	4:33	23	7:54	4:56
8	8:05	4:34	24	7:53	4:58
9	8:05	4:35	25	7:52	4:59
10	8:05	4:37	26	7:51	5:01
11	8:04	4:38	27	7:50	5:02
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13	8:03	4:41	29	7:47	5:05
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15	8:02	4:44	31	7:45	5:08
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AMERICANS NOSE OUT LEAFS IN OVERTIME GAME

Jean Waddell and George Lane Lift Badminton Crowns

Former Defeats Ethel Saunders in Women's Final At Victoria Club and Latter Disposes of Des Bleasdale—Smart Play Witnessed

New champions, with one exception, were crowned yesterday evening at the main building, Willows exhibition grounds, as the annual championship tournament of the Victoria Badminton Club drew to a close. The meet, the most successful in the history of the popular local club, produced some excellent shuttle play that was fully appreciated by a large and enthusiastic final night gallery.

George Lane, city and defending champion, was the only former titleholder to retain his laurels. Lane, playing smart badminton all of the way, defeated Des Bleasdale in straight sets in the men's singles final after some clever shuttle play. Scoring valuable points with his powerful smashes, Lane was always in command of the situation, and won with scores of 15-11, 15-6.

Bleasdale opened weakly in the initial set but rallied towards the end and improved as the tournament continued. Lane, however, with his steady play, was always strong enough to turn back the championship bid made by Bleasdale.

WINS WOMEN'S TITLE

Comely Jean Waddell, sixteen-year-old junior city champion, annexed the women's singles crown after a three-set final with Ethel Saunders. The newly-crowned champion, after winning the initial set, 11-6, lost the second set, 5-11, but rallied again in the final set and won by an 11-3 score.

Mrs. Foote and Miss E. Saunders stroked their way to the women's championship with a straight-set victory over Mrs. Goodwin and Mrs. Styan, 15-9, 15-9. The feature of the match was the long interesting rallies by both teams.

George Lane and Frank Tyrrell, city champions, captured the men's doubles title with a two-set victory over H. and D. Bleasdale, 15-6, 15-11. Lane's smashes proved very effective, while the smart work at the net of Tyrrell, his partner, brought the new champions many valuable points.

Miss Ethel Saunders and George Lane stroked their way to victory in the mixed doubles final in straight sets over Miss K. Harris and D. Bleasdale, 15-12, 15-7. Lane's placements and smashes and the steady net play of Miss Saunders proved too much for their opponents, who battled gamely against a better team.

THE RESULTS

Results follow:

Men's Singles, Semi-Final

Des Bleasdale won from Harry Bleasdale, 15-12, 15-6.

Men's Singles, Final

George Lane won from Des Bleasdale, 15-11, 15-6.

Women's Singles, Final

Miss J. Waddell won from Miss E. Saunders, 11-6, 5-11, 11-3.

Men's Doubles, Final

F. Tyrrell and G. Lane won from H. and D. Bleasdale, 15-6, 15-11.

Women's Doubles, Final

Mrs. Foote and Miss E. Saunders won from Mrs. Goodwin and Miss Styan, 15-9, 15-9.

Mixed Doubles, Semi-Final

Miss K. Harris and Bleasdale won from Mrs. Goodwin and D. Fish, 8-15, 15-6, 15-9.

Mixed Doubles, Final

Miss E. Saunders and G. Lane won from Miss K. Harris and D. Bleasdale, 15-12, 15-7.

"Y" BADMINTON CHAMPS NAMED

Good Net Play Witnessed in Y.M.C.A. Club's First Annual Championships

Rallying after dropping the initial set, 2-11, Jennie Ward, Y.M.C.A. netter, captured the women's singles championship of the association's first badminton tournament, which closed recently. Th newly-crowned champion defeated Peggy Cheer in a three-set fixture, 2-11, 11-6, 11-9.

Roy Hurdle annexed the men's singles crown after a stiff extra-set match with Alf Slocomb. The scores were 15-7, 11-15, 15-4. Finer placements and harder smashes carried Hurdle through to victory.

Peggy Cheer and Jennie Ward captured the women's doubles title in another three-set battle. The champions lost the first set, 12-15, came back to take the next two in decisive fashion with scores of 15-4, 15-1.

J. White and Alf Slocomb lifted the men's doubles crown with a straight-set victory over R. Hoadley and I. Temple, 18-13, 15-6. The matches produced some excellent net play and were featured by long and interesting rallies.

Springing successive upsets in the semi-final and final, Miss K. Martin and R. Hoadley stroked their way to the mixed doubles championship. After disposing of Miss Jennie Ward and J. White, in the semi-final, 15-7, 15-13, the newly-crowned titleholders continued to display good form by defeating Miss Peggy Cheer and I. Temple in the final, 17-14, 14-17, 15-6.

In the table tennis tournament, run in conjunction with the badminton meet, Vivian Martin won the women's singles title and A. Slocomb won the men's honors.

Remember When

(Twenty-Five Years Ago)

Referring to Joe Bayley's performance in the ring at Vancouver, The Province says:

"When Joe Bayley, of Victoria, made his debut in the ring at Vancouver Athletic Club a couple of years ago and won the bantam championship of British Columbia by his aggressive mixing tendencies, beating the clever little performer, George Bright, the followers of the amateur boxing game who were on the job were a unit in declaring the Bayley boy a genuine "comer." Last night in the same ring Joe demonstrated to the complete satisfaction of a big crowd of fight fans that he had arrived. He stopped Joe Holland, the shifty V.A.C. special weight performer, so speedily and in such a business-like manner that there was no doubt left in the minds of anybody.

"Bayley met Holland in the first of two inter-city bouts which featured the regular monthly boxing show. Holland has shown up well enough on other occasions, but he had no chance against Bayley last night. The Victoria lad covered up like a professional when Holland opened the proceedings with a rush, and then when Holland had about exhausted his enthusiasm in that first bit of offensive work Bayley went after his man. With powerful swings and uppercuts, he soon had Holland in a bad way, and it was apparent that the latter was in for a beating. The finish came suddenly, however. Backing Holland into a corner Bayley cut loose with both hands. The left landed amidships and the right clipped Holland squarely on the point. Holland collapsed in a heap and the bout was over."

Finland Withdraws From Hockey Series

GARMISCH-PARTENKIRCHEN, Jan. 23 (AP).—Finland's Olympic committee has withdrawn the entry for the Olympic ice hockey competitors because "ice hockey sport is too young in Finland to venture upon powerful international tryouts," it was announced here today.

The Finnish withdrawal still leaves a total of sixteen nations to compete in the ice hockey contests, in which Canada will be defending the title.

Main Cogs in Canadiens' Ice Machine

In No. 1 position is debonair Pit Lepine whose hair may be tinged with silver, but whose heart is light and whose puck thrusts are always cleverly accomplished. Centre is Wilfred Cude, the active young custodian who is ranked close to the top amongst major league goalkeepers. No. 3 is Messieur Jean Pusie, boxer, wrestler and general handy man, whose prankish feats on the ice make him one of the drawing cards around the circuit. Last time in Toronto, Pusie dropped his gloves and challenged Charlie Conacher to mortal combat.

PLAY-OFF HOOP GAMES CARDED

Three Important Basketball Fixtures This Evening at High School Gym

Three important basketball fixtures are billed at the Victoria High School gymnasium this evening as local quintettes continue their bids for championship honors.

Trade-Ats and Lynn Patrick's Aces, intermediate squads, will battle in the curtain-raiser scheduled to get under way at 7:30 o'clock. Deadlocked in fourth berth in the league race, the clubs will be playing for the right to enter the post-season play-offs.

Chinese Students and Kingham-Gillespie, third-place quintettes, respectively, will clash in the second attraction, a play-off fixture. The coal merchants defeated Trade-Ats and Lynn Patrick's Aces in successive games to gain the third slot, and tonight they hope to continue their drive for the league title at the expense of the clever students' aggregation of ball handlers.

SENIOR "B" GAME

The nightcap will bring together the Tillicums and Lake Hill, men's Senior "B" hoopsters, in a sudden death game for the third berth in the league standing and a play-off position. The clubmen passed up their opportunity to gain the berth Tuesday evening, when they went down to defeat at the hands of the West Saanich Mercantile eagers, league leaders, but hope to get back in the select circle at the expense of the Lake Hill quintette.

Tribute Paid to Late King George By Six-Day Teams

An impressive tribute to His Majesty King George V was held during the six-day bike race, which opened in San Francisco last Sunday, according to word received here by Mrs. W. W. Rush, mother of Lew Rush, well-known Victoria rider, yesterday. Soon after the death of the Late King was announced, the crowd of 8,000 stood for one minute's silence, and the huge racing oval was put in semi-darkness by diming of the lights. Lew Rush, the only Canadian in the race, which is still in progress, then donned a black sweater, and when the race resumed, he whirled around the track for the remainder of the evening, wearing the same apparel.

INDIAN WILL MEET DEVORA IN MAT BOUT

Baptiste Paul Given Semi-Wind-Up Slot on Saturday's Programme

Baptiste Paul, Saanich Indian, and former glove-thrower, known in Pacific Coast wrestling circles as "Chief Thunderbird," makes his return tomorrow evening to the Tillicum gymnasium, scene of many of his ring exploits, to appear in the semi-windup bout of Promoter Fred Richardson's all-star programme.

The rugged Indian, who has battled some of the best men in the bone-bending business, will be tossed in against Dr. Nap DeVora, sprightly grappler from Providence, Rhode Island, in the five eight-minute round middle squirm on the attractive three-bout programme.

Top spot on the all-star card has been assigned to Ganda Singh, 245-pound East Indian pachyderm, and Sam "Legs" Leathers, from Dallas, Texas. They are billed to go eight ten-minute rounds. The special event on the programme will see Gurdas Singh, clever East Indian, return to the local ring, to oppose Billy Kohnke, Vancouver grappler, in five six-minute rounds.

Local fans are displaying considerable interest in the Leathers-Ganda Singh bout, and judging by the way they are picking up their seats, another bumper crowd will be on hand at the Tillicum gymnasium.

NEVER DEFEATED

Leathers, who has never been defeated in the local ring, faces his toughest match when he climbs over the ropes to meet the giant East Indian. Strong, tall and one of the most powerful squirmers to ever show in these parts, Ganda Singh has never been brought down on the mat in his appearance here, but the fans are looking forward to seeing Leathers, the man with the educated legs, bring the East Indian down tomorrow evening.

"Chief Thunderbird" will have an interesting session with the clever Dr. Nap DeVora, who in his last appearance, gained a draw with "King" Elliott, clever Australian heavyweight matman.

Gurdas Singh, East Indian, who scored an impressive and easy victory in his initial match here, will have the fast-working Billy Kohnke, Vancouver, to contend with in the special bout.

U.S. Hockey Team Held to Deadlock

BRIGHTON, Eng., Jan. 23 (AP).—The American Olympic hockey team tied with a team of resident Canadians here tonight, 6-6.

It was the third game the United States outfit has played since arriving here for practice prior to the Olympic tilts. In the first game they lost to Wembley All-Stars, 10-5, and in the second, Earls Court All-Stars defeated them, 3-1.

A crowd of 15,000 joined the players to stand in a silent tribute to the memory of King George before the game. All players wore black bands about their arms.

There was a bit of excitement in the second period when Moone, goaler for the Americans, was ordered off. Several United States players argued with the referee, and it was some minutes before Moone left the ice.

Juvenile Basketball

Juvenile basketball fixtures for next week, as released yesterday by Alex MacDonald, secretary, follow:

UNDER EIGHTEEN

Tuesday — Centennials vs. Jones Boys, Centennial gymnasium at 8 o'clock. Referee, C. Sharpe.

Thursday — West Road vs. Silent Glows, West Road gymnasium at 8 o'clock.

UNDER SIXTEEN

Monday—Shamrocks vs. Terriers, Memorial Hall gymnasium at 5 o'clock. Referee, T. Taylor.

Collegians Win From Terriers

Caging the deciding points late in the final half, St. Louis College, smooth-functioning juvenile hoopsters, yesterday evening, defeated the Terriers, 25-22, in a Royal Juvenile Athletic Association Basketball League fixture played at the Memorial Hall.

Drayton, of the Collegians, and Warren, of the Terriers, shared the scoring honors with ten points apiece.

"Chuck" Sharpe and Ted Taylor refereed, and the teams were:

St. Louis College — Fairs (5), Drayton (10), D. Baines (2), O'Connell (4), Webb (2), R. Baines (2) Monaghan and Belton; total 25.

Terriers—Pulver, Blanco, Warren (10), Newman, Hope (7), Meadmore Smith (5) and Main; total 22.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT - - - - - - By Ripley

EXPLANATION FOR YESTERDAY'S RIPLEY CARTOON

A City Covering One and a Half Million Square Miles—Speeding at the rate of 141 miles an hour, the China Clipper took nine hours and forty-five minutes to fly over the city of Honolulu. The city of Honolulu extends from Hawaii proper to Midway Island, 1,332 miles away, while its southern limit is 1,100 miles distant. This gives the city of Honolulu an area of about one and a half million square miles, making it the most extensive city in the world.

Please address all queries to Cartoonist Ripley, c/o King Features, New York City, N.Y.

JOE JERWA'S TALLY ACCOUNTS FOR 3-2 DEFEAT OF TORONTO

Nets Puck Three Minutes After Extra Session Opens to Decide Tussle—Chicago and Canadiens Battle to One-All Deadlock—Detroit Wings Trim New York Rangers, 4-2

NEW YORK, Jan. 23 (AP).—Fighting an uphill battle, New York Americans tonight defeated Toronto Maple Leafs, 3-2, in overtime to tie Montreal Canadiens for third place in the Canadian group standing of the National Hockey League. Nine thousand fans saw the game. Bill Thoms scored the first Toronto goal on passes from Red Horner and Buzz Boll late in the second period. Joe Jerwa, who later proved the hero of the game from the New York standpoint, really gave Boll the pass when he tried to intercept Horner's pass and knocked the rubber to the Leaf wingman.

EDDIE WISEMAN

Boll got the second Leaf tally on a pass from Thoms. Jerwa, the fiery defenceman from Bankhead, Alta., scored on Art Chapman's assist. Six minutes later Eddie Wiseman knotted the count from a scramble in front of the Leaf gate, Carl Voss, Red Dutton and Happy Emms being credited with assists. Horner was in the penalty box at the time for tripping.

The winning counter came from Jerwa's stick when he barged through the tired Leaf defence to score on passes from Schriner and Chapman.

Line-ups:

Americans	Position	Toronto
Worters	Goal	Hainsworth
Jerwa	Defence	Horner
Murray	Defence	Blair
Stewart	Centre	Thoms
Oliver	Wing	Finnigan
Anderson	Wing	Boll

Americans Subs — Cotton, Carr, Voss, Emms, Doran, Dutton, Chapman, Wiseman, Schriner.

Toronto Subs—Primeau, H. Jackson, Kelly, Metz, Art Jackson, Davidson, Day, Clancy, Markle.

Officials—Stewart and Daigneault.

SUMMARY

First Period—No score. Penalty: Horner.

Second Period—1, Toronto, Thoms (Horner, Boll), 15:49. Penalties: Blair, Emms, Day.

Third Period — 2, Toronto, Boll (Thoms), 2:23; 3, Americans, Jerwa (Chapman), 2:51; 4, Americans, Wiseman (Voss, Emms, Dutton), 8:49. Penalties: Kelly, Chapman, Horner.

Overtime Period — 5, Americans, Jerwa (Schriner, Chapman), 3:00. Penalties: None.

BATTLE TO TIE

MONTREAL, Jan. 23 (AP).—Work of the rival goal-keepers featured as Montreal Canadiens and Chicago Black Hawks battled to a 1-1 overtime tie tonight in a National Hockey League game.

Tommy Cook celebrated the birth of his son today by scoring Hawks' goal in the second period while Art Lesieur was in the penalty box. Doc Romnes, Johnny Gottselig and Mush Marchi got assists. Paul Haynes matched that tally in the third period with assists going to Armand Mondou and George Mantha.

Johnny Karakas, Chicago goalie, was injured in the third period when a flying stick cut deeply into his face near the right eye and the game was held up ten minutes while he had it attended.

Line-Ups

Chicago	Position	Canadiens
Karakas	Goal	Cude
Burke	Defence	Buswell
Levinsky	Defence	Lesieur
Ouellette	Centre	Lepine
Gottselig	Wing	Jollat
Larochelle	Wing	Gagnon

Chicago Subs—Wiebe, March, Trudel, Kendall, Cook, Romnes, McFadyen, Seibert and Thompson.

Canadiens Subs—Frew, Pusie, G. Mantha, Mondou, McGill, Goldsworthy, Haynes, Drouin and Desilets.

Officials—Rodden and McCurry.

Summary

First Period—No scoring. Penalty: Romnes.

Second Period—1, Chicago, Cook (Romnes, Gottselig, March), 9:49. Penalties: Burke, Lesieur, Buswell, Trudel and Joliat.

Third Period—2, Canadiens, Paul Haynes (Mondou, G. Mantha), 3:49.

Overtime Period—No scoring.

WINGS TRIM RANGERS

DETROIT, Jan. 23 (AP).—Detroit Red Wings kept their string of victories over New York Rangers intact tonight when they defeated the Easterners, 4-2, in a thrill-packed National Hockey League match before 9,000 fans.

A penalty to Ott Heller, for holding Herb Lewis, gave Marty Barry a goal halfway through the second period and from then on the Wings stayed in front. Wally Kilrea slammed home the disc on Kelly's pass. Connolly tallied for Rangers on Boucher's pass.

In the last period, Aurie beat Goalie Kerr after a double pass by Barry and Lewis. Syd Howe poked the rubber into the Ranger cage on Young's rebound, while Aurie and Connolly were in the pen for roughing. New York's second goal was by Boucher.

The victory kept Detroit in front in the league's close American division race.

Line-Ups

New York	Position	Detroit
Kerr	Goal	Smith
Coulter	Defence	Goodfellow
Johnson	Defence	Bowman
Patrick	Centre	Pettinger
Dillon	Wing	H. Kilrea
Murdoch	Wing	Howe

New York Subs—Ayres, W. Cook, Boucher, Keeling, Watson, Brydson, Heller, Connolly and Mason.

Detroit Subs—Young, McDonald, Lewis, Aurie, Barry, W. Kilrea, Sorrell and Kelly.

Officials—A. G. Smith and J. O. Cleghorn.

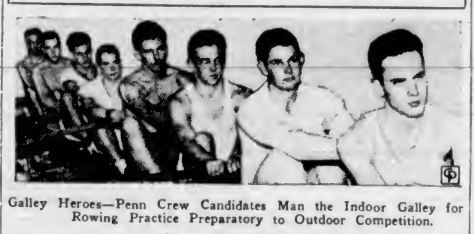
Summary

First Period—No scoring. Penalties: Lewis, H. Kilrea, Coulter.

Second Period—1, Detroit, Barry (Goodfellow), 10:22; 2, Detroit, W. Kilrea (Kelly), 13:20; 3, New York, Connolly (Boucher), 14:09. Penalty: Heller.

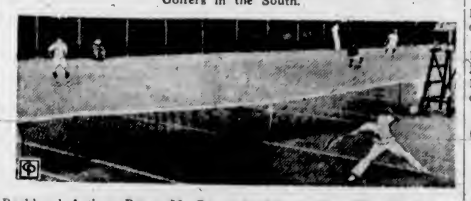
Third Period—4, Detroit, Aurie (Barry, Lewis), 5:03; 5, Detroit, Howe (Young), 12:42; 6, New York, Boucher, 14:07. Penalties: W. Kilrea, Aurie, Connolly.

SPORT SNAPSHOTS



Galley Heroes—Penn Crew Candidates Man the Indoor Galley for Rowing Practice Preparatory to Outdoor Competition.

Huot Hits It—Jules Huot, Quebec Pro Champion, Is Among the Golfers in the South.



Backhand Action—Bryan M. Grant, of Atlanta, Puts His 120 Pounds Into a Backhand During Tournament at Coral Gables, Fla.

Talk Over Their Rackets—Berkeley Bell, Left, Pro Tenniser, Talks With Jim Braddock, World Heavyweight Champion, in New York.

Soccer Activities

Sunday School Football League games billed tomorrow follow:

Centennial vs. Metropolitan, Central Park; referee, Fisher. Kick-off at 1:30 o'clock.

Lake Hill vs. Emmanuel, Central Park; referee, P. J. Woodley. Kick-off at 1:30 o'clock.

Lake Hill line-up will be as follows: Harper, Little, Kitchen, Cullen, Hunt, Warren, Newman, Speller, Hayward and Dunn. Reserves, Underwood, Coles and Simpson.

Golf Tournament Set at Macaulay

Fourteen women will tee off in the monthly medal competition at the Macaulay Point Golf Club, Sunday. Competitors will select their own starting times and post entries will be accepted.

Draw follows:

Miss I. Holyoak and Miss H. Irvine.

Miss A. M. Bland and Miss N. Hocking.

Miss D. Ashman and Miss D. Hobbis.

Miss S. Holyoak and Mrs. J. W. Holyoak.

Mrs. A. Swan and Miss I. Jarvis.

Mrs. W. Poole and Mrs. C. Brown.

Mrs. C. Denham and Miss E. Irvine.

CUP SOCCER BOOKED IN ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND

Fourth Round of English Cup to Hold Spotlight

Important Matches Carded Tomorrow in Old Country—Liverpool Faces Arsenal in Feature —Impressive Tributes to Precede All Games —First Round of Scottish Cup Scheduled

LONDON, Jan. 23 (AP). — Grim struggles in the fourth round of the English Cup competition and in league games Saturday will be preceded by impressive tributes to the memory of King George V by the teams and spectators.

Throughout England and Wales the hymn, "Abide With Me," will be sung and a brief period of silence observed before the start of the games. Players, referees and linesmen will wear black armlets.

The draw has favored First Division squads. Thirty-two teams play in fourth-round matches and of the fourteen representatives of the premier league, nine will play at home. A similar number of Second Division sides remain in the competition, but only six of these will do battle before their own supporters. Three of four teams from the junior league are away from home. With all Welsh clubs eliminated, only English teams play in the cup this week-end.

TACKLES ARSENAL

Chief interest lies in the game at Liverpool, where Arsenal provide the opposition. The Gunners have been weakened by an injury to Roberts, centre half. He will probably take part in the game at Anfield Road. Tottenham Hotspurs, striving hard to regain First Division status, engages Huddersfield Town at White Hart Lane. The Spurs will be at full strength.

Luton Town, sturdy Third Division team, now tied with Coventry City for the leadership, will be seen against Manchester City, at Maine Road, but its chances of victory are slim.

Unless there is a change in weather conditions, grounds will be in good condition. Strong winds and Spring-like sunshine have dried them rapidly.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

GLASGOW, Jan. 23 (AP).—League competition worries momentarily forgotten, Scottish Football League clubs and sixteen minor league representatives will line up Saturday in the first round of the Scottish Cup. The fifty-four teams start on even terms, with envious eyes cocked on Hampden Park for the final set-up, April 18.

As in England and Wales, a period of silence, a mark of respect for the late King George V, will be observed before the start of all Scottish matches and players and officials will wear mourning armlets.

Aberdeen, Celtic and Rangers will be watched particularly. The three leaders have monopolized league play for the past couple of months and it is generally believed one of them will play in the final.

Aberdeen has no walkover in the first round against Hamilton Academicals at Pittodrie.

Celtic is drawn against Berwick Rangers, a minor club. Glasgow Rangers play at home against the Second Division East Fife eleven.

Leaders in the Second Division, Falkirk and St. Mirren, have the disadvantage of playing away. The former is pitted against Morton, another Second Division team, and the Saints play at Somerset Park, against Ayr United. The United occupies last position in the senior division.

HOCKEY SIDELIGHTS

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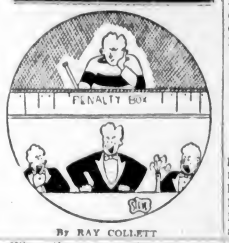

By RAY COLLETT

When they wrote the Old Man River song that "just keeps rollin' along" somebody must have thought of Aurel Joliat, Montreal Canadiens' evergreen little forward, who this year is playing his fourteenth season in big time hockey livery. The marvel man he might be called, and the name would not be ill-advised.

When Aurel—"Quetto" to the fanatical Canadiens' fans in Montreal—broke into the N.H.L. in 1922 he weighed between 150 and 160 pounds. Illness and the strenuous pace he set gradually wore him down until at 133 pounds he is the smallest forward to stick consistently on the hockey ladder.

Terrific speed, brilliant skating ability and a stick handling wizardry that has bewildered the hockey faithful ever since it first broke upon their horizon has been the little left-winger's forte. "Twas said of Joliat that he could stop and turn on a dime.

Penalities once paid a monster part in his career. He had a hair-trigger temper, was tempermental and high-strung. One of the earliest players to wear a cap on the ice, Aurel was infuriated beyond control when opponents knocked it off. Of late the original Mighty Atom has mellowed, without losing his uncanny hockey wizardry.

His father is Ottawa's chief of detectives. Aurel, known at times as the Silent Man, sometimes amazes with brilliant and fluent after-dinner speeches. He studies golf earnestly. Musical to a degree, he plays the violin, bango and ukulele. In addition to remaining one of the greatest scoring threats in the game, he has become the field-general of Canadiens and much of the strategy the team employs is devised and supervised by the fleet little winger.

TODAY'S HOCKEY STICKLER

How many points did "Dit Clapper get the season his teammate "Cooney" Weiland, set the league scoring record? Answer is contained in tomorrow's Hockey Sidelights.

LOGIE TOPS AVERAGES IN TENPIN LOOP

Member of Watson's Men's Wear Squad in Front at End of First Half

Bill Logie, of Watson's Men's Wear, topped the maple-smashers in the first half schedule in the Commercial Tenpin League at the Olympic Alleys, according to the averages released by Secretary Ernie Stock. Logie finished the schedule with an average of 192, four pins in front of Ernie Stock, of the Hustelrs, who had 188. Jim Ferguson, of the Kermats, was next with 186, and "Red" Lawson, of The Times, fourth with 185. The rest of the bowlers were well bunched.

Complete averages follow:

Logie, Watson's Men's Wear	192
Sisco, Hustlers	188
Ferguson, Kermats	186
Lawson, Times	185
Cliff, Hustlers	184
Bowden, Gyros	184
Stewart, Watson's	183
Elwood, Hustlers	183
Jealouse, Times	182
Pare, Gascos	182
Morrison, Watson's	180
Neilson, Panterium	180
Johnston, Watson's	179
Morley, Kent's	178
Woolston, Hustlers	178
Cadell, Times	177
Swaluk, Speedway	177
Parsell, Kent's	177
Knott, Times	176
Norton, Northwestern	175
Donaldson, Kermats	175
Dunnett, R. Speedway	175
Young, Macdonald's	175
Ferris, Watson's	174
Beck, Panterium	174
Wiber, Hudson's Bay	174
Dickerson, Northwestern	173
Ozard, Northwestern	173
Darcus, Speedway	172
Ray, Macdonald's	172
Lambie, Scott & Peden (B)	172
Colton, Times	172
Lapsey, Gyros	171
McClellan, Scott & Peden (A)	171
Hoag, Panterium	170
Macgregor, Gyros	170
Mowatt, Gascos	170
Pearse, Macdonald's	170
Fulton, Kent's	169
Kent, Kent's	169
Semple, Hustlers	168
Pollard, Kermats	167
Simmons, Hustlers	167
Cliff, Times	167
Humberstone, Scott & Peden (A)	166
Angus, Macdonald's	164
Crawford, Northwestern	164
A. Dunnett, Speedway	164
Wass, Scott & Peden (A)	164
Cole, Northwestern	163
Rowe, Kent's	163
Macneil, Gyros	162
W. Peden, Scott & Peden (A)	162
Goodman, Scott & Peden (A)	162
Stevens, Hudson's Bay	161
Dillough, Northwestern	161
Mallek, Northwestern	160
Edwards, Kermats	160
Dresher, Gascos	158
Bent, Hudson's Bay	158
Newton, Scott & Peden (B)	158
Sutton, Kermats	157
Stewardson, Speedway	157
Taylor, Gyros	156
Straith, Gyros	156
Gibbons, Gascos	156
Price, Speedway	155
Wooster, Hudson's Bay	152
Bendall, Kent's	151
Brecroft, Hudson's Bay	150
Jones, Scott & Peden (A)	149
Todd, Scott & Peden (B)	148
Skillen, Gyros	147
Collins, Macdonald's	146
Peden, Scott & Peden (B)	142
Thompson, Scott & Peden (A)	141
Morry, Panterium	138
McClen, Panterium	136
Barnes, Hudson's Bay	130
Green, Kermats	130
Bruce, Scott & Peden (B)	127
Macdonald, Scott & Peden (B)	127
Leasett, Gascos	125
Ladarocke, Gascos	119
Walton, Hudson's Bay	109
Henderson, Panterium	108

Three Hoop Games At "Y" Gymnasium Tomorrow Night

Sunday School Basketball League quintettes will resume play tomorrow evening at the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium with three games billed.

Chinese Students and Y.M.C.A. junior squads will clash in the opener at 7 o'clock, with Fairfield and Christ Church quintettes following at 8 o'clock. The final encounter will bring together the Chinese Students and St. Louis College Intermediate "B" teams.

Important Cage Meeting Billed

Plans for the Island basketball play-downs will be made at the annual meeting of the Vancouver Island Basketball Association at the Davenport Cafe, Nanaimo, Sunday, February 2. The association urges all districts to have representatives present at the meeting.

Lasky Beats Cancella

OAKLAND, Calif., Jan. 23 (AP)—Art Lasky climbed up off the canvas last night to batter Tony Cancella about the ring and take an easy ten round decision.

The Los Angeles veteran was down for a no-count in the second and was staggered in the eighth, but otherwise had everything his own way. Lasky weighed 196 pounds and the Tampa scrapper 190.

Lou Ambers Drops Klick

Lou Ambers, Herkimer's fighting hurricane, outpunched and outboxed Frankie Glick, of San Francisco, to gain the unanimous decision in a ten-rounder at Madison Square Garden. The highlight came when Ambers dropped the West Coast lad for a count of nine in the seventh round. Lou is shown walking away as the referee begins to count over the prostrate Klick. This win entitles Lou to another crack at Champion Tony Canzoneri's lightweight title.

Classy Field Entered In Santa Anita Event

Big Money Winners of American Turf to Seek $100,000 Handicap Next Month—Discovery Is Still Favorite—Cavalcade Is Liked

By C. ROBERT KAY
Associated Press Staff Writer

NEW YORK, Jan. 23 (AP).—Seven racing champions or world-record holders are among the probable starters in the $100,000 Santa Anita Handicap, which will have its second running in California on February 22.

Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt's Discovery, handicap champion of 1935 and holder of world records for one and one-eighth miles (1:43 1-5) and one and three-sixteenth miles (1:55), is the standout favorite.

Mrs. Isabel Dodge Sloane's Cavalcade, three-year-old champion of 1934, when he defeated Discovery with regularity, appears fit enough after a year of misfortunes to give his great rival a real battle for the rich stake. Fred M. Alger, Jr.'s Azucar, winner of the $108,400 in the inaugural running of the race, showed he would be a factor when he won the San Felipe Handicap at Santa Anita Saturday.

AZUCAR

TOP ROW ENTERED

A. A. Baroni's Top Row, twice conqueror of Discovery last year when given big advantages in the weights, will carry 116 pounds in the Coast classic. Top Row, fourth in last year's Santa Anita, holds the world record of 1:42 for one and one-sixteenth miles.

Other nominees considered as having good chances to upset Discovery each of them holding championships at some time, include Ladysman, second in the rich stake last year and 1932's two-year-old titleholder; Singing Wood, best of the juveniles in 1933, and Toro Nancy, champion money-winning filly of 1934.

LOCAL RIDER STILL SECOND

Lew Rush and Schaller Trailing Joint Leaders in Six-Day Bike Race

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 23 (AP).—Two combinations led the field at the end of 1,570 miles in San Francisco's six-day bicycle race at 8 o'clock tonight.

Dempsey and Allen, the American pair, and Duelberg and Wagner, the German-American combination, were a lap ahead of two pressing competitors, but the former enjoyed a 65-point advantage.

The standings:

	Miles	Laps	Pts
Dempsey-Allen	1570	0	1555
Duelberg-Wagner	1570	0	1490
Yates-O'Brien	1569	14	1775
Rush-Schaller	1569	14	1130
Bonniti-Van Slambrouck	1569	13	965
Flynn-Thelin	1569	11	1115
Aulman-Gruber	1569	11	835
Triest-Hayes	1569	9	820

HOCKEY RESULTS

Last night's hockey results follow:

NATIONAL LEAGUE

New York Americans 3, Toronto 2. Overtime.

Chicago 1, Montreal Canadiens 1. Overtime.

Detroit 4, New York Rangers 2.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Windsor 3, Cleveland 1.

Rochester 3, Buffalo 1.

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

Edmonton 6, Vancouver 5.

Seattle 1, Portland 0.

CANADIAN-AMERICAN LEAGUE

Boston 7, New Haven 3.

HOCKEY STANDINGS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Canadian Division

	W	L	D	F	A	P
Maroons	11	10	4	49	54	26
Toronto	11	11	3	69	65	25
Canadiens	8	12	7	50	62	23
Americans	10	13	3	58	60	22

American Division

	W	L	D	F	A	P
Detroit	13	6	6	60	43	32
Chicago	13	10	3	47	40	29
Rangers	11	13	6	52	64	28
Boston	11	12	3	46	41	25

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

	W	L	D	F	A	P
Vancouver	11	10	4	64	63	26
Portland	10	6	6	52	38	26
Edmonton	9	10	5	60	62	23
Seattle	10	10	2	54	56	23
Calgary	8	12	4	64	77	20

ROLLER HOCKEY

Juvenile roller hockey fixtures carded tomorrow are as follows:

UNDER EIGHTEEN

Saanich Cougars vs. Rough Riders Lower Rock Bay; referee, W. O'Connor.

Red Wings vs. Wimpy's Capitals Michigan Street; referee, J. O'Connor.

UNDER SIXTEEN

Oak Bay Lions vs. Rock Bay Bank Street; referee, W. Jennings.

Wolverines vs. Aces, Pomt Street; referee, C. Restall.

Games to start at 2.45 o'clock.

Bun Cook May Be Out for Season, States Patrick

DETROIT, Jan. 23 (AP).—Manager Lester Patrick of the New York Rangers said tonight his veteran left-winger, Bun Cook, is suffering from multiple arthritis and he probably will not play again this season. Only time will tell, said Patrick whether the younger of the famous Cook brothers ever will play again.

Brother Bill, however, was not so pessimistic. "I think Bun will be able to play the latter part of the season," he said. "The doctors in New York are hopeful. Bun thinks he'll be all right and I think so, too."

BOWLING

OLYMPIC ALLEYS

SENIOR FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Pacific Meat Co.—G. Ozard, 484; J. Norrington, 568; A. Perry, 573; J. Howell, 662; low score, 522. Total, 2,809.

Mitchell & Duncan—Butler, 455; Sallaway, 348; Jones, 573; Davis, 597; Marshall, 670; Conway, 185. Total, 2,915.

Mitchell & Duncan won two.

Hudson's Bay Co.—Thurston, 518; Mitchell, 425; Ward, 494; Glover, 524. Total, 1,961.

Shorts Cafe—C. Steele, 760; H. Short, 444; N. Fell, 492; P. Sherritt, 588. Total, 2,304.

Shorts Cafe won three.

SERVICE CLUBS TENPIN LEAGUE

Revellers—W. H. Sturrock, 528; Davis, 401; Kay, 338; Hearn, 543, low score, 447, handicap, 249. Total, 2,506.

Gyros—L. Glazen, 450; F. Taylor, 408; A. McInnes, 496; W. W. Hudson, 453; A. MacNeil, 458, handicap, 258. Total, 2,543.

Gyros won two.

Rotarians—A. Dawe, 438; B. Boate, 436; C. Armistead, 480; N. Lamont, 407; A. Glendas, 336, handicap, 367. Total, 2,499.

Rapes "58"—Lindley, 363; McIntyre, 467; Morris, 443; Nute, 465, low score, 414, handicap, 389. Total, 2,501.

Bapco "50" won two.

Kiwanians — McLennan, 580; Dickerson, 345; Buckley, 427; Ballantyne, 307; Roberts, 385, handicap, 320. Total, 2,362.

Kinsmen — Gurr, 579; Passmore, 550; Helmsken, 459; Kersey, 509, low score, 399, handicap, 228. Total, 2,724.

Kinsmen won three.

MIXED TENPIN LEAGUE

Giants—J. Bradford, 397; B. Wragg, 258, low score, 279. Total, 934.

Cardinals—D. McBeath, 332; V. Elwood, 358; F. McBeath, 279. Total, 969.

Cardinals won two.

BAPCO FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Rapcolites—Miss A. Blair, 436; Miss J. Blair, 207; H. McIntyre, 464; R. Reid, 544; G. Leeming, 519. Total, 2,312.

Asphaltams—Miss M. Seymour, 540; Mrs. McDonald, 532; G. Bidwell, 426; G. Leckie, 561; H. Williams, 628. Total, 2,687.

Asphaltams won two.

Ironites—D. Yye, 398; B. Schwarz, 422; W. Landles, 567; F. Boughton, 558; E. Lindley, 493. Total, 2,338.

Rapes "58"—Mrs. C. Scott, 468; Miss Rutherford, 603; T. Leahy, 541; A. Delamas, 516; H. L. Ritchie, 627. Total, 2,775.

Bapco "50" won two.

Satin-Glo's—Rita Rodger, 488; Iris Erdson, 263; Bill Devereaux, 481; Slim Belcher, 474; Jack Harness, 575. Total, 2,201.

Shinaleens—Miss K. White, 611; Miss A. Warburton, 399; L. Tayler, 543; H. Pollard, 551; W. H. Lawson, 562. Total, 2,666.

Shinaleens won three.

Prudentials—Miss Osler, 370; M. Kinley, 472; M. Harman, 396; M. Doyle, 482; A. Sedaman, 514. Total, 2,234.

Porcelites — Miss Oliphant, 395; Mrs. Wiley, 427; F. Pendray, 404; J. Lorimer, 629; R. Shaw, 434. Total, 2,339.

Porcelites won two.

NEW METHOD LAUNDRIES FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Salesmen "A"—R. Lamb, 604; W. Jones, 537; W. Arden, 382; S. Swetnam, 663. Total, 2,186.

Production—J. Smith, 556; N. McKinnon, 496; A. Speller, 584; A. Dunderdale, 587. Total, 2,223.

Production won two.

Salesmen "B"—W. Waters, 583; J. Arwick, 497; J. Hartley, 464; A. Dunderdale, 596. Total, 2,170.

Executive—W. F. Pinfold, 584; A. F. Pinfold, 601; J. Imrie, 639, low score, 429. Total, 2,253.

Executive won two.

ARCADE ALLEYS

BETTER HALVES FIVEPIN LEAGUE

"A" Team—E. Macdougall, 615; D. Thirlwall, 304; F. Davidson, 303; N. Scott, 302. Total, 1,524.

"B" Team—Mrs. Vivian, 565; Mrs. Chambers, 555; Mrs. Pollard, 459; M. Jenkins, 323. Total, 2,112.

"C" Team—Mrs. Hull, 369; Mrs. McPhee, 444; Mrs. Jacklin, 376; Mrs. Oxtenden, 435. Total, 1,624.

"D" Team—Mrs. B. Jenkins, 537; Mrs. Wilcox, 368; Mrs. Blance, 246; Mrs. Jarvis, 365. Total, 1,674.

"E" Team—Mrs. Jones, 334; Mrs. Riches, 321; Mrs. Pellow, 415; Mrs. Rowe, 203. Total, 1,273.

"B" Team won one point.

Yeast is good for brain workers, a doctor assures us. It gives rise to thought.

LEWIS SIGNS FOR McAVOY MIX APRIL 3

Colored Light-Heavyweight Titleholder to Clash With Englishman

By FIDDLE BRIETZ
Associated Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK, Jan. 23 (AP).—Jock McAvoy, the British battler who came to North America three months ago swearing he'd take both the middle and light-heavyweight titles back to Merrie England is going to get his chance at the first of them on April 3. Madison Square Garden today signed John Henry Lewis to defend his 175-pound crown against the fist-throwing Briton in a fifteen-rounder in the Garden. All that remains is to get the official OK of the New York State Athletic Commission, which probably will vote approval next Tuesday.

JOCK McAVOY

McAvoy, holder of the British middle and light-heavy crowns, has fought twice in the United States. Both times he made tremendous impressions.

TO FIGHT TONIGHT

Andre Lenglet, newest French heavyweight importation, makes his American debut in the Garden tomorrow night in a ten-rounder with Hans Birkie, of Germany.

Lenglet's record shows he won forty-seven of his forty-nine starts abroad, and he once fought a draw with Tommy Loughran, veteran Philadelphia campaigner.

Primo Carnera, the Italian man mountain, lumbered back into New York today after a holiday visit home during which he did two weeks of compulsory military training.

It is probable his first 1936 ring start will be against the winner of the Lenglet-Birkie fight. Primo said they would not let him join the Italian army because there were too many applicants ahead of him.

SOCCER LINE-UPS

Soccer line-ups for tomorrow's fixtures follow:

Victoria City, Second Division — O'Connor, Knapp, Anderson, Jones, Moody, Alexander, Coutts, Hess, Tregallis, Sage, Robbins, Colman and Woolcock. Players are requested to meet at the Veterans of France at 1:30 o'clock.

Saanich Thistles, First Division — Chalmers, Esler, Harper, Leggett, Williams, Crowe, Murray, Speller, McLean, Campbell, Murray, Stofer, Glancy, Gent and Gibson.

Saanich Thistles, Second Division — Leask, Armitage, Hetherington, Hayward, Geoghegan, T. Noble, Stokes, Lewis, Kennedy, D. Noble, J. Noble, Nicholas, Musgrave and Parker.

Battle to Deadlock

BARROW, England, Jan. 23 (AP).—Barrow and Hartlepools drew, 1-1, in a Northern Section, Third Division, soccer game played here today.

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New Westminster To Be Scene of B.C. Track Meet

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C., Jan. 23 (AP).—The third annual British Columbia track meet will be held here and tentative dates are Friday and Saturday, March 20 and 21, it was announced today.

Representatives of high schools throughout the Province will compete on the first night and competitions will be held the second night in which athletes from Victoria "Y," the College of Puget Sound, Tacoma, Bellingham Normal and University of Washington, will take part.

VANCOUVER SKIER HURT IN GERMANY

GARMISCH-PARTENKIRCHEN, Germany, Jan. 23 (AP).—Two Canadian ski jumpers, Karl Baabsvik, of Montreal, and Tom Morbraeton, of Vancouver, were the first casualties of the 1936 Winter Olympic season today when they were injured while taking part in the international practice competition.

Baabsvik suffered a slight brain concussion and Morbraeton a sprained wrist. Both will recover in time for official Olympic competition, however, it was announced.

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Stock and Bond Prices Gain at New York Mart

NEW YORK, Jan. 23 (AP).—Aviation issues climbed steeply today in the stock market, along with mines and a wide variety of industrials and rails.

Numerous new highs for several years were chalked up in the most active dealings in several days.

The Associated Press average of sixty stocks, up .6 of a point at 58.3, was the best level since September 2 1931. The fifteen rails in the compilation scored a new 1935-36 top of 33.4, up .7 of a point.

The rise in mining shares went hand in hand with the usual Wall Street talk of new Washington moves in regard to silver and gold. After trading hours Treasury officials were reported to have denied any move to increase the price of silver shortly to $1 an ounce.

Another touch of inflation sentiment was introduced as rumors circulated in board rooms regarding the establishment of an open market for gold, possibly with a further devaluation of the dollar. No Washington developments came to light which appeared to substantiate the talk.

Turnover in the Stock Exchange was 2,937,970 shares, compared with 1,154,610 shares in the previous session. The ticker lagged a little behind transactions on one or two occasions.

Brokers were encouraged by the sale of a Stock Exchange seat at $173,000, the highest since February 3 1934, and $1,000 better than the previous transaction last week.

Four of the six major groups of listed bonds breezed into new high levels for the past five years today under a strong speculative and investment demand centering in the rail division.

Nickel Plate 4½'s were up 2 5-8 at 81 5-8 and New York Susque Hanna & Western 5's, up 5 3-4 at 84 1-4.

Foreign issues scored small gains.

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	High	Low	Close
Air Reduction	185		185
Allied Chemicals	167-2	166	167-2
Amer. Can.	129-2	127-8	127-8
Amer. For. Power	8-1		8-1
Amer. Locomotives	27-2	27	27-1
Amer. Radiator	26-3	26	26-1
Amer. Rolling Mills	31-3	31-2	31-2
Amer. Smelter	83-2	81-4	83-1
Amer. Sugar	57-4	56-4	57-4
Amer. Tel.	160-7	160	160-4
Amer. Tobacco	101-4	100-8	101-4
Amer. Waterworks	22-4	22-1	22-1
Anaconda Copper	30-6	29-4	30-6
Atchison Railway	71-2	70	71-1
Atlantic Refining	31	30-2	30-4
Auburn	43-4	42-7	43-4
B. & O. Railway	18-1	17-6	18-1
Bethlehem Steel	52-7	52	52-7
Borden	27-2	26-8	27-1
Borg Warner	67-6	66-4	67-3
Briggs	55	52-7	54-4
Cal. Pack.	34-5		34-5
C. P. R.	11-6	11-3	11-4
Case (J.I.)	104-3	100	104-2
Caterpillar Trac	58-4	58	58-4
Celanese Corpn	30-4	29-3	30-2
Cerro de Pasco	53-2	52	52-8
C. & O. Railway	55-1	54-4	55
Chrysler	89-5	88	89-3
Columbia Gas	15	14-8	14-7
Commercial Solvent	21-4	21-1	21-3
Con. Gas	33	32-8	32-6
Cont. Oil	36-2	35-4	36
Diesel & Co.	60	58-6	60
Dome	51-2	49-3	51-2
Douglas Aircraft	64-7	60-1	64-7
Dupont	143-6	143-4	143-4
Eastman Kodak	160-4	160	160-4
Elec. Auto Lite	38-5	38	38-5
Freeport Texas	34-4		34-4
General Food	35-2	35	35-2
General Electric	39-1	38	39-1
General Motors	56-2	55-2	56-2
Goodyear	24-4	23-4	23-7
Great West Sugar	32-6	32-2	32-6
Great Northern	34-6	34-1	34-1
Harvester	59-7	59	59-5
Howe Sound	52-2	52-4	53-2
Hudson	15-5	15-4	15-5
Hupmobile Motors	2-2		2-2
Ind. Rayon	31	30-4	30-4
Int. Nickel	46-4	45-7	46-4
Int. Tel.	17-2	16-6	17-1
Johns-Manville	107-4	105-4	107-4
Kennecott Copper	31-5	30	31-2
Kresge	23-5		23-5
L. & M. Tobacco	114	112-8	113
Liquid Carbonic	40-8	40	40-6
Loew's	53-4	52-2	53-4
Lorillard	28	25-6	28
Matheson Alkali	32	31	32
May Stores	48-7	48-5	48-7
McIntyre	48-5	46-4	48-5
Mex. Sea Oil	34-8	34-4	34-8
Montgomery Ward	38-3	37-5	38-1
Nash	18-3	16	16-3
National Biscuit	37-3	37-2	37-2
National Distillers	29-2	28-7	29
National Dairy	22-6	22-3	22-5
Nat. Power & Lite	12	11-7	11-7
New York Central	31-3	30-4	31-3
North American	28-6	27-5	28-6
Northern Pacific	26-3	25-8	26-3
Ohio Oil	16-7	16-4	16-5
Packard	7-7	7-6	7-7
Paline	16	13-5	13-7
Pennick Ford	71		71
J. C. Penny	53-4		53-4
Penn. Railway	33-1	32-8	33-1
People's Gas	45-3	45	45
Pullman, ex-d	42	41-2	42
Radio	14-2	13-8	13-6
Rem. Rand	22-4		22-4
Republic Iron & Steel	19-4	19-1	19-1
Reynold's Tobacco	58	57-4	57-7
Safeway Stores	34-4	34	34-1
Schenley	49-2	48-6	49
Sears Roebuck	82-5	82	82-4
Shell	18-4	18-1	18-4
South Cal. Edison	27-5	27-3	27-5
South Porto Rico	30		30
South. Pacific	28-4	27-1	28-4
Standard Brands	18-2	18-1	18-2
Standard Gas	8-1	7-7	8
Standard Oil, Cal.	41-7	41-5	41-7
Standard Oil, N.J.	55-2	54-6	55-2
Socony Vacuum	14-4	14-1	14-1
Studebaker	10-1	10	10
Swift Can.	17-8	17-4	17-8
Texas Corpn.	32-7		32-7
Texas Gulf	35-8	35-2	35-8
Timken	67-8	67-4	67-4
Trans-America	12-5	12-4	12-5
United Gas & Imp.	16-4	16-5	16-3
Union Carbide	74-2	74	74-2
Union Oil, Cal.	25		25
Union Pacific	121-4	118-4	120-2
United Airways	28-4	27-4	28-4
United Fruit	68-2	68-1	68-2
U.S. Alcohol	43-3	42-4	43-3
U.S. Pipe & Foundry	33-7	31-2	32-3
U.S. Rubber	18-3	18	18-2
U.S. Steel	49	48-2	49
U.S. Smelting	93-2	93-3	93
Vanadium	24	23-4	24
Warner Bros	11-4	11-2	11-2
Westinghouse	103-1	100-4	100-6
Western Union	79	76-4	78
Woolworth	53	52-8	52-6

TORONTO GOLDS GAIN BRISKLY

Big Producers Trade Heavily—Base Metals and Silvers Rise

TORONTO, Jan. 23 (CP).—The boom in the gold stocks was running smoothly today on the mining section of the Toronto Stock Exchange and gains ranged up to 3 1-4 points.

Trading in the big gold producers on this market was the heaviest in about a year. Lakeshore registered the top advance, adding 3 1-4 and closing at 59. Dome closed 1 1-2 up at 51, McIntyre 1 1-4 up at 48 1-4, and Hollinger 1-2 up at 16 5-8. Pioneer gained 40 cents, Bralorne lost 5 cents and Little Long Lac added 25 cents.

Base metal and silver stocks caught the fever and advanced also. Hudson Bay added 2 points, closing at 26, its high for five years, while Noranda also hit a new high at 48 3-4, up 1 1-8.

Royallite added 1-2 and Texas-Canadian 8 cents.

(Mara, Bate & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Acme	15	17
Alan	50	55
Bayamac	69	73½
Base Metals	34	37
Bear Exploration	33	50
Beattie	1.60	1.62
Big Missouri	74	75
Bobjo	18½	19
Bralorne	6.90	6.95
B R X	11½	12½
Buffalo Ankerite	4.80	4.90
C. & E. Corpn.	73	80
Canadian Malartic	1.13	1.18
Cariboo	1.20	1.23
Castle Trethewey	1.83	1.85
Central Patricia	2.99	3.00
Chemical Research	85	90
Chibougamau	43	46
Coast Copper	3.55	3.75
Dome	50.87½	51.50
Eldorado	1.30	1.35
Falconbridge	7.60	7.70
Francoeur	30	30
God's Lake	1.37	1.38
Granada	20	21
Greene Stabell	24	25
Gunnar	21	22
Hollinger	16.37½	16.75
Home Oil	74	78
Hoyle	73	74
Hudson Bay	25.75	26.00
Kirkland Lake	52	53
Lakeshore	38.50	39.25
Little Long Lac	7.50	
Macassa	3.95	3.98
Maple Leaf	09½	09½
McIntyre	48.37½	48.50
McKenzie Red Lake	1.38	1.39
McVittie Graham	26	27
McWatters	1.57	1.60
Mining Corpn.	1.45	1.49
Morris Kirkland	64	66
Intl. Nickel	46.37½	46.50
Nipissing	2.01	2.05
Noranda	48.50	48.87½
Parkhill	23	24
Parmaster	13½	14
Pend Oreille	1.09	1.11
Perron Gold	1.39	1.40
Pickle Crow	4.83	4.85
Pioneer	11.50	11.85
Premier	1.84	1.89
Reid Authier	1.84	1.85

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 23 (AP).—Foreign exchange strong. Quotations in cents.

France—Demand 6.64; cables 6.64½.
Italy—Demand 8.92; cables 6.02.
Belgium—16.99.
Germany—Five 40.48; reg. tourist 23.75; reg. commercial 21.20.
Holland—68.42.
Norway—25.02.
Sweden—25.66.
Denmark—22.24.
Finland—2.21.
Switzerland—32.77.
Spain—13.74.
Portugal—3.25.
Greece—.94.
Poland—18.80.
Czechoslovakia—1.18.
Jugoslavia—2.30.
Austria—18.65.
Hungary—29.60.
Rumania—.80.
Argentina—33.12.
Brazil—8.59.
Tokio—29.03.
Shanghai—29.85.
Hongkong—32.63.
Mexico City—27.85.
Montreal—In New York—100.08.
New York—In Montreal—99.96.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 23 (AP).—Quotations in dollars. Demand 4.98; cables 4.98; sixty-day bills 4.97.

Reno	1.13	1.14
Royallite	32.75	33.00
San Antonio	3.26	3.30
Sherritt-Gordon	1.09	1.10
Siscoe	3.32	3.33
St. Anthony	20	21
Stadacona	21½	22
Sudbury Basin	3.49	3.50
Sylvanite	2.51	2.52
Teck-Hughes	5.30	5.35
Toburn	1.21	1.25
Ventures	1.70	1.72
Wasaldo	16	17
Wright-Hargreaves	8.00	
Bankfield	34	36

Liverpool Wheat

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 23 (CP).—Following are today's per-bu. (8) wheat quotations, c.i.f. Liverpool, in Canadian funds at current sterling exchange rate of 4.98, as supplied by Broomhall.

	Today	Y day
No. 1 Man. Northern, Vancouver, Jan.	105¾	106
No. 2 Man. Northern, Atlantic (Old), Jan.	101¾	100¾
No. 2 Man. Northern, Vancouver (New), Jan.	103¾	103¾
Australian, Jan.	99¾	99
Australian, March	98¾	97¾
French, Jan.	84¼	84¼

Corporation Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

PUBLIC UTILITIES

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Power 5's, 1980	103.00	104.50
B.C. Telephone 5's, 1960	108.50	108.00
B.C. Electric 6's, Pfd.	107.75	108.75
B.C. Telephone 6's, Pfd.	108.75	108.75
Beauharnois Power 5's, 1973	27.50	28.00
Calgary Power 5's, 1960	100.00	101.50
C.P.R. 5's, 1954	104.50	108.50
Can. Nor. Power 5's, 1953	102.50	104.00
Gatineau Power "A" 5's, 1941	62.75	84.25
Gatineau Power "B" 5's, 1941	81.75	83.25
Western Power 5's, 1946	105.75	107.75

INDUSTRIALS

Burns Bundles 5's, 1958	88.80	90.50
Canada Steamships 6's, 1941	57.25	58.75
Canada Cement 5½'s, 1947	106.75	107.25
General Steelwares 6's, 1952	98.50	102.00
Federal Grain 6's, 1949	100.00	101.75
McColl-Frontenac 6's, 1940	103.00	108.50
Simpson's Ltd. 6's, 1948	104.75	106.75

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Elected Director of Excelsior Life

J. W. SPENCER

OF David Spencer, Limited, of Victoria, who was elected a director of The Excelsior Life Insurance Company at the annual meeting in Toronto yesterday. Mr. Spencer becomes the Western Canada director of The Excelsior Life, succeeding the late Stuart Cameron, of Vancouver.

WHEAT PRICES DROP SLIGHTLY

Fair Buying for Export Fails To Lift Values at Winnipeg Market

WINNIPEG, Jan. 23 (CP).—Trading doldrums continued on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange today, despite the sale for export of 650,000 bushels of Canadian wheat.

Wheat prices closed 1-8 to 1-4 of a cent lower, May at 88, July 88 5-8 and October 87 1-4, after a session in which the "low" was only 1-4 of a cent under the day's "high."

Operators displayed little interest in the market and pit transactions consisted only of light selling from the Canadian Wheat Board and buying against the export sales.

Cash grains spreads were about unchanged, while coarse grains prices eased fractionally in late trading.

WINNIPEG GRAIN
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

Wheat—	P.C. Open	High	Low	Close
May	88⅝	88⅝	88	88
July	88⅜	88⅝	88⅛	88⅜
Oct.	87⅞	87⅞	87⅝	87⅞
Oats—				
May	32¾	32¾	32⅝	32¾
July	32½	32¾	32⅜	32⅝
Rye—				
May	45¼	45¼	45¼	45¾
July	46	46¼	46	46
Barley—				
May	38	38	37¾	37¾
July	38	38¼	38⅛	38⅜
Flax				
May		160¼	158½	158½
July		158	158	158¼

Cash Grain

Wheat—1 Hard, nil; 1 Nor. 88¾; 2 Nor. 81½; 3 Nor. 78¾; 4 Nor. 76; No. 5, 67¾; No. 6, 58¾; Feed, 49. Track, 64¾. Amber Durum No. 1, 80; No. 2, 77; No. 3, 68; No. 4, 58; Track, 80. A.R.W. No. 1, 73; No. 2, 73; No. 3, 71. Garnet No. 1, 81; No. 2, 78.

Oats—2 C.W. 34¾; 3 C.W. 29¾; Ex. 1 Feed, 29¾; 1 Feed, 30; 2 Feed, 25¾; 3 Feed, 23¾. Track, 32.

Barley—2 R.O.W. 50; 6 R.O.W. 43; 3 C.W. 53; 4 C.W. 37; 5 C.W. 31¾; 6 C.W. 29. Track, 35½.

Rye—1 C.W. 42¾; 2 C.W. 42¾; 3 C.W. 38. Rej. No. 2, 35; 4 C.W. 35½. Track, 42¾.

Flax—1 N.W.C. 156½; 2 C.W. 152½; 3 C.W. 140; 4 C.W. 104. Track, 155½.

CHICAGO GRAIN
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

Wheat—	P.C. Open	High	Low	Close
May	100⅝	100¾	100⅛	100⅜
July	89	89⅜	88⅝	89⅛
Sept.	87	88⅛	86¾	87⅜
Corn—				
May	60	60	60	60⅜
July	60	60	60	60
Sept.	60¼	60¼	60	60
Oats—				
May				28
July	28	28	27¾	27¾
Sept.	27	27¼	27	27
Rye—				
May				53½
July	54	54	53½	53½
Sept.		55	54	54

Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

			Bid	Asked
Dom. of Can.	1937	5	107.50	108.375
	1937	5	104.00	105.00
	1938	5	102.50	103.25
	1939	4	106.25	107.25
	1940	4	109.00	110.00
	1941	5	111.375	112.25
	1942	5	103.50	104.50
	1943	5	112.375	113.25
	1944	4	110.50	111.375
	1945	4	107.00	108.00
	1948	4	110.50	111.375
	1949	5	102.25	104.125
	1952	4	106.00	107.00
	1936	4	108.00	108.875
	1957	4	108.125	109.00
	1958	4	108.25	109.125
	1959	4	108.375	109.25
	1955	3	98.00	98.875
C.N.R.	1951	4	111.25	112.00
	1938	4	111.00	112.50
	1957	4	109.50	110.875
	1955	4½	114.25	115.75
	1969	5	114.50	116.00
	1970	5	114.50	115.50
	1954	5½	117.75	114.75
	1950	3	98.75	99.75
	1944	3	103.00	104.50

Bond Quotations

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

MUNICIPAL

	Bid	Asked
Municipality of Esquimalt 5's, 1963		88.00
City of Victoria 5's, 1945		99.50
City of Vancouver 5's, 1985		93.00
Greater Vancouver Water District 4½'s, 1970	97.00	99.50
City of Edmonton 5's, 1945	82.00	85.00
City of Edmonton 5's, 1941		101.00
City of Montreal 5's, 1945	104.75	106.75
City of Quebec 5's, 1953	103.50	105.00
Toronto Harbor 4½'s, 1953	105.75	107.25

PROVINCIAL

Prov. of Alberta 4½'s, 1957	87.75	89.25
Prov. of Alberta 4½'s, 1961	90.25	91.75
Prov. of Alberta 5's, 1955	92.25	94.25
Prov. of Alberta 6's, 1947	88.25	97.75
Prov. of B.C. 4's, 1957	84.25	85.75
Prov. of B.C. 4½'s, 1969	96.00	98.00
Prov. of B.C. 5's, 1953	99.25	101.75
Prov. of B.C. 5½'s, 1945	89.50	101.50
Prov. of B.C. 6's, 1947	99.75	101.25
Prov. of Manitoba 4's, 1937	98.25	100.75
Prov. of Manitoba 4½'s, 1951	100.75	102.75
Prov. of Manitoba 5½'s, 1958	104.25	106.75
Prov. of Ontario 4½'s, 1966	100.75	102.75
Prov. of Ontario 4½'s, 1965	108.00	108.00
Prov. of Quebec 4½'s, 1958	107.50	109.50
Prov. of Quebec 4½'s, 1960	109.75	111.75
Prov. of Sask. 4's, 1954	81.00	82.50
Prov. of Sask. 4½'s, 1951	94.75	98.25
Prov. of Sask. 5's, 1958	99.25	100.75
Prov. of Sask. 5½'s, 1962	100.50	102.00

MINES STRONG AT VANCOUVER

Gold Listings Mixed—Base Metals Gain and Oil Stocks Stiffen

VANCOUVER, Jan. 23 (CP).—Braelorne was the feature issue on the Vancouver Stock Exchange today, but closed unchanged at 6.95 after selling up to 7.05. Total sales were 146,910 shares.

Pioneer was strong, closing up 30 cents at 11.50; Reno was up 2 at 1.12, and Sheep Creek added 1 cent at 70. Island Mountain Gold at 1.35 and Vidette at 65 were each off 2 cents. Dentonia, although a strong trader, closed off a cent at 27, as did Premier at 1.84. Other precious metals showed losses or gains confined to minor fractions.

In the base metal group, Pend Oreille was up 6 cents at 1.14, B.C. Silver added 5 at 1.55, Big Missouri at 73 1-2 and B.C. Nickel at 18 each added a fraction. Golconda Lead Mines were up 1 1-2 at 15.

Royallite led the oils, advancing 25 at 32.50. Calgary & Edmonton was up 3 at 75, Nordon up 2 1-2 at 17 1-2, and Ranchmen's added 1 cent at 53. Other oils were fractionally higher to unchanged.

(Twiss & Co., Ltd.)

OILS

A.P. Consolidated	P.M. sales: 1,000 at 11½		
British Dominion	A.M. sales: 1,000 at .12		
C. & E. Corpn.	A.M. sales: 100 at .75; P.M. sales: 100 at .75		
Commonwealth	P.M. sales: 500 at .05		
Freehold	A.M. sales: 3,000 at .10		
McDougall Segur. Exp.	P.M. sales: 1,750 at .08		
Mar Jon	P.M. sales: 500 at .13		
Mercury	A.M. sales: 100 at .12		
Mill City	A.M. sales: 1,500 at .14½; 2,000 at .15; P.M. sales: 2,600 at .15		
Model	A.M. sales: 1,000 at .20½; P.M. sales: 1,000 at .20½		
Nordon	A.M. sales: 1,000 at .17; P.M. sales: 1,500 at .18; 600 at .19		

MINES

B.C. Nickel	P.M. sales: 500 at .18		
B.C. Silver	P.M. sales: 200 at 1.60		
Beaver Silver	A.M. sales: 2,000 at .02½		
Big Missouri	A.M. sales: 200 at 73½; 1,700 at .74; P.M. sales: 100 at .74		
Bralorne	A.M. sales: 2,900 at 6.95; 20 at 7.00; P.M. sales: 2,805 at 7.00; 600 at 7.05		
B.R. Cons.	A.M. sales: 1,000 at .04½; P.M. sales: 2,000 at .04		
B.R.X.	A.M. sales: 500 at 11½; 700 at 11¾; 4,000 at .12		
Cariboo Gold	P.M. sales: 1,200 at 1.25		
Conjecture	A.M. sales: 1,150 at .15; 500 at 15½; P.M. sales: 400 at 15½		
Cotton Belt	A.M. sales: 1,000 at .04		
Dentonia	A.M. sales: 2,000 at .25½; 6,000 at 26; 1,200 at 26½; 2,300 at .27; 1,200 at 27½; 1,700 at .28. P.M. sales: 1,500 at 27; 1,500 at 27½; 9,400 at .26		
Federal Gold	A.M. sales: 500 at .06. P.M. sales: 1,000 at .06		
Golconda Extension	A.M. sales: 500 at 14; P.M. sales: 500 at 13		
Gold Belt	A.M. sales: 1,000 at 31; 500 at .33		
Grandview	A.M. sales: 6,000 at .03½		
Grange	P.M. sales: 2,000 at .02½		
Grull Wihksne	P.M. sales: 500 at 10½		
Hedley Amalgamated	P.M. sales: 2,000 at .25; 1,000 at .26		
Island Mountain	A.M. sales: 700 at 1.32; 700 at 1.38; 300 at 1.39. P.M. sales: 200 at 1.37; 50 at 1.40		
Kootenay Belle	P.M. sales: 500 at .39		
Meridian	A.M. sales: 2,400 at .11. P.M. sales: 1,000 at .11		
Minto	A.M. sales: 300 at 07½; 4,000 at 07¾; 1,800 at .08. P.M. sales: 4,000 at .07		
Morning Star	A.M. sales: 2,000 at .02½; 7,000 at .03. P.M. sales: 1,000 at .03		
Nicola	A.M. sales: 3,000 at 10½. P.M. sales: 1,600 at 10¾		
Pend Oreille	A.M. sales: 200 at 1.09; 100 at 1.10; 200 at 1.15. P.M. sales: 100 at 1.10; 400 at 1.11; 100 at 1.12; 200 at 1.14; 500 at 1.15		
Pilot Gold	A.M. sales: 5,000 at .03		
Pioneer Gold	A.M. sales: 200 at 11.25; 25 at 11.30; 100 at 11.40; 450 at 11.50. P.M. sales: 150 at 11.55; 100 at 11.60		
Porter Idaho	A.M. sales: 1,000 at .04½; 1,000 at .04		
Premier	A.M. sales: 50 at 1.85; 300 at 1.86; 600 at 1.87. P.M. sales: 600 at 1.84; 700 at 1.85; 200 at 1.86		
Reno	A.M. sales: 400 at 1.11; 600 at 1.12. P.M. sales: 600 at 1.12		
Sheep Creek	A.M. sales: 2,700 at .70. P.M. sales: 100 at .70		
Sunshine	P.M. sales: 100 at 14.25		
Taylor Bridge River	P.M. sales: 1,000 at .12; 1,000 at .13		
Vidette	A.M. sales: 500 at .66		
Wayside	P.M. sales: 200 at 18		
Ymir Yankee Girl	A.M. sales: 800 at 50; 200 at 53. P.M. sales: 500 at 55		

INDUSTRIALS

Coast Breweries	A.M. sales: 100 at 13.75		
Coast Breweries Rights	A.M. sales: 100 at 4.50. P.M. sales: 200 at 4.70; 175 at 4.75		

New York Curb

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Amer. Super	3½	3¾
Amer. Cynamid B	34⅝	34⅞
Amer. Gas	39¼	39⅝
Associated Gas	3¼	3⅜
Brazil	10⅝	10⅞
Cities Service	4	4⅛
Elec. Bond	17	17⅜
Penn. A	24⅛	24⅝
Ford	8¼	8⅜
Hudson Bay	26	26½
Humble Oil	72	72½
Int. Petr.	27¼	27½
Imperial Oil	22¼	22⅜
Newmont Mining	93	94
Pioneer, B.C.	11¼	11½
Standard Oil, Kentucky	22	22¼
Amn. Aluminum	98	99
United Gas	4⅞	5
United Power	4	4¼
Niagara-Hudson Power	9¾	10
Distillers, England	24½	25
Gulf Oil	86	85¾
Atlas Corpn.	13¾	15
Marconi	2	2¼
Cons. Pete	28	28½
Cord Corpn.	6	7
Pitt. Rubber	7	7½
Lakeshore	58	59
Teck Hughes	5	5½
Hecla	15	18
Porto Rico	44	44½
Wright Hargreaves	6¾	8¾
Sunshine	22¾	24

London Stocks

LONDON, Jan. 23 (CP).—Closing: C.P.R., $11 1-2. Nickel, $48 3-8; British American Tobacco, 121s 10 1-2d; Central Mining, 24 3-4; Imperial Tobacco, 155s 7 1-2d; Mining Trust, Ltd., 5s 3d; Rand Mines, 8 3-8; Rhodesia Anglo American, 11s 3d; Rhokana Corp., 5 1-4; Crown Mines, 14; Springs, 46s 3d; East Geduld, 9 7-8; Rio Tintos, 19 3-4; Vickers, 22s 4 1-2d.

Bonds: British 2 1-2 per cent Consols, 85 5-8; British 3 1-2 per cent War Loan, 106 1-4; British Funding 4's, 1960-90, 117 7-8.

RAILWAY REVENUES

MONTREAL, Jan. 23 (CP).—Increase of $175,249 was shown today in Canadian National Railways' net earnings of $2,923,198 for the week ended January 21, compared with $2,747,949 for the corresponding week a year ago.

IMPERIAL LIFE REPORTS GAINS

G. A. Morrow, President, Say Substantial Progress Made in Year

G. A. MORROW

Substantial progress features the 1935 business of the Imperial Life Assurance Company according to G. A. Morrow, president, who presided at the annual meeting in Toronto. Assurances issued during the year amounted to over $25,000,000, and the total assurances in force now amount to over $279,000,000.

In spite of reduced interest rates now available on the best class of investments, the Imperial Life earned an average of 4.68 per cent on its invested funds, and will again be able to increase dividends to policyholders this year.

Mr. Morrow points out the Imperial Life, like other insurance companies, is a reservoir where the savings of thrifty citizens are accumulated and delivered to them or their beneficiaries at a future date to take care of old age or unforeseen emergencies. The extent of the sums so collected is an evidence of the thrift of Canadians and their earnest desire to make proper provision for the future, without recourse to public or private charity.

Leading Metals and Industrials Gain at Eastern Exchanges

MONTREAL, Jan. 23 (CP).—Metal advances, responsive to firmness of New York and Toronto markets, provided the impetus today for a forward movement of prices on Montreal Stock Exchange.

Noranda gained a point after touching 49. International Nickel was up a fraction at 48 3-8. Smelters jumped 5 points.

Canadian Forgings gained a fraction at 6 3-4, and Dominion Bridge worked fractionally higher.

Lakeshore jumped more than 4 points. Wright-Hargreaves was up 50 cents.

International Petroleum was down 1-2, while British-American, Home and Imperial posted minor gains. Walkers added a small amount. Canadian Vickers and Asbestos were up 1-4 each.

TORONTO EXCHANGE

TORONTO, Jan. 23 (CP).—Industrial stocks moved up to within a point of the high for recent years today on the Toronto Exchange, reflecting the current so-called inflation advance on the New York board. Gains were limited mainly to narrow fractions.

Nickel closed at 48 1-4. Smelters advanced 5. Brazilian climbed to 10 3-4, and C.P.R. added 1-4.

McColl-Frontenac common set the pace for the oils, and it closed 5-8 up at 16. In the liquors, Industrial Alcohol "A" was up 1-4 of a point.

(C. M. Oliver & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
A.P. Grain	5¾	6¼
Abitibi Power & Paper	1.60	1.85
B.A. Oils	20¾	21
B.C. Power "A"	28½	29
Building Products	36½	36¾
B.C. Power "B"	4	5
Beath & Sons	2½	2¾
Bell Telephone	147	146
Blue Ribbon	3¾	
Brazilian Traction	10¾	10¾
Brewing Corpn.	2¾	2½
Brewers & Distillers	1.23	1.30
Canada Canners	4	5
Canada Cement	6¾	7
Canada Car & Foundry	6½	7
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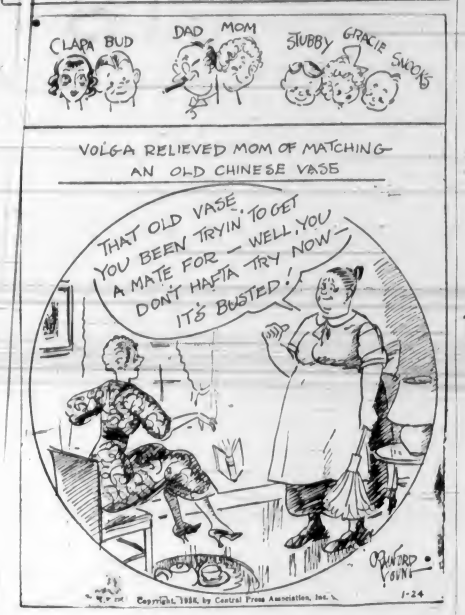

THE WORLD AT ITS WORST By GLUYAS WILLIAMS

"And when I ask you a question," said the manager, reprimanding the new office boy, "you should answer, 'Yes, sir, or 'No, sir,' as the case may be."

"Righto," said the boy.

Mr. Newlywed—What's wrong with this pie crust, darling? It doesn't half cover the pie.

Mrs. N.—I asked your mother how to make pies to suit you and she told me to make the crust very short.

Jane Dixon Says:

WHEN A HUSBAND TELLS HIS WIFE HE WOULD RATHER SEE HER STARVE THAN ENGAGE IN HONORABLE LABOR, HE IS AN ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL MISFIT

Dear Jane Dixon: You'd scarcely believe that in this day and age, with so many women holding marvelous jobs and handling them in a way that reflects credit on themselves and on their work, there are still men who insist a woman's place is in the home, even if she has to starve to stay there.

There are such men, though. My husband is one of them.

I am not exaggerating when I say he would rather have me do without food than go out and earn the money to buy it.

He's had only a few days' work in the last three years. We've spent every cent of our savings—which were pitifully small—long ago, and have had to depend on our families, on friends and on charity for enough to keep body and soul together. Now misfortune has come to both our families, and having to help us is a terrible burden on them. I simply can't keep going back to our friends. They've done so much already, and I know they are weary of carrying us.

Before I married I had an excellent position as a French teacher in a private school. I had also worked for two years as a stenographer for a French firm in the city where I live.

RESENTED WIFE'S GOOD FORTUNE

Shortly after my husband lost his position I met the senior member of this firm on the street. He stopped me and asked me if I would consider coming back, as they had difficulty in finding anyone who understood the work as I did.

I knew my husband objected to wives working outside their homes, but I thought that, the situation being what it was, he'd put aside his prejudice in favor of common sense.

I practically ran home with what I thought was the good news.

Do you know what happened? He went into a perfect fury, stormed and raged and accused me of "quitting him when he was down and out." He even threatened to go to the firm member who had offered me the position and "crack him up" for daring to insinuate he (my husband) couldn't support his wife.

I had to plead and promise him I'd never mention going to work again, in order to keep him from carrying out his threat.

Well, I've kept my promise. We live in one room, which a friend, who owns the house, gives us rent free. We have been without gas, without food for forty-eight hours at a stretch. Not often as bad as that, but twice is two times too many.

WIFE IS IN A DILEMMA

He stopped speaking to a friend who had done everything she could for us and who suggested that maybe I could get my old position in the school back, or a similar one in some other school. He calls her a meddlesome cat, and insists she is trying to make trouble between us. He says he'd rather steal than have his wife catering to other men.

I'm beside myself with worry; ill-nourished, not a decent dress to my back. I've got to do something, yet I know if I am fortunate enough to find work I'll have to choose between it and my husband. —Frantic.

Answer: I'd be frantic, too. That is, I'd be frantically looking for work, and when I found it I'd try to see how much cooler I could be than a cucumber.

You are not dealing with a mere objection. You're wrestling with an obsession. When a husband tells his wife he would rather see her starve than engage in honorable labor, and means it, he is not just an economic and social misfit—he is a mental case and should be under observation of a brain specialist.

Your husband is suffering with an aggravated fever of sex superiority and atrophy of reason. If checking the progress of the disease causes him to become violent, he should be put under restraint.

Go to his family and tell them what you have told me. Perhaps they will help you. Explain the situation to your own family. Enlist their help.

In any case, get work if you can find it. This is not alone your woman's right, but under the circumstances it is your woman's and your wifely duty.

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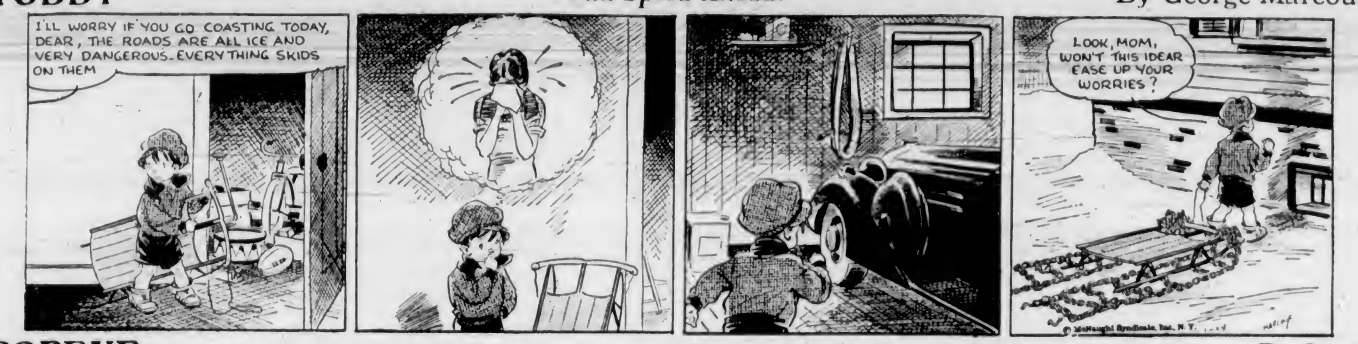

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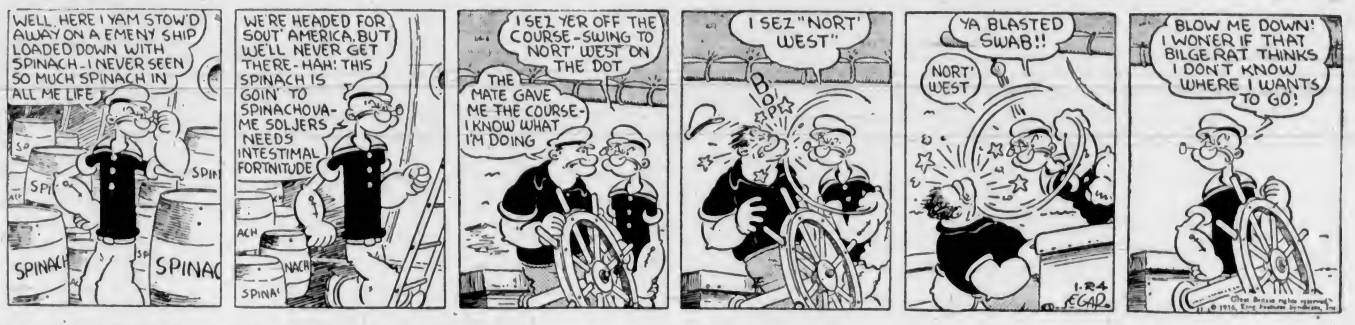

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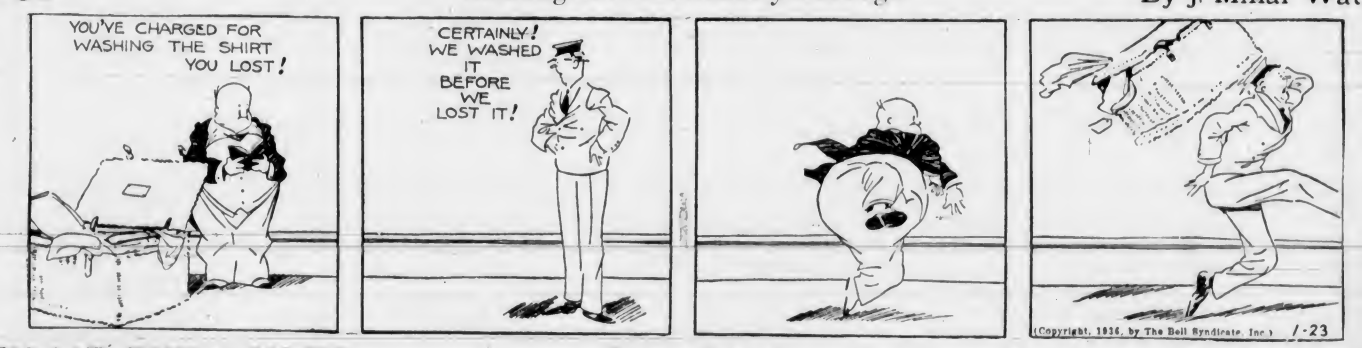

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DEATHS

READ—There passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Thursday, January 22, Aaron Read, of 1214 George Street. The remains are resting at the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Announcement of the funeral will be made later.

DODD—Passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on January 23, Annie Dodd, wife of Arthur M. Dodd, aged fifty-eight years, a native of Reading, England, and a resident of Victoria for the past three months, a former resident of Saskatoon. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband and one son, at the family residence, 1171 Rockland Avenue, and one sister, Mrs. E. J. Howell, residing in England. The remains are resting at the Thomson Funeral Home, from where the funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon, at 2:30. Interment will be made in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

HUGHES—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on Wednesday, January 22, Gilbert Eldrid Peley Hughes, aged five years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred C. Hughes, 1128 Empress Avenue. Besides his parents he is survived by one sister, Miss Ruth, and two brothers, Alfred and Raymond, at home, also his grandparents, Rev. Arthur deB. and Mrs. Owen, of 207 Government Street, and Mrs. A. Hughes, of 1426 Pembroke Street.
The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon, January 25, at 2 o'clock, from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home, after which Interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

FRASER—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on Wednesday, January 22, George Lyon Fraser, aged eighty-five years. The late Mr. Fraser was born in Aberdeen, Scotland, and had been a resident of this city for the last twenty years and for many years a well-known businessman of Calgary, Alberta.
The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon, under the auspices of Britannia Lodge No. 73, A.F. and A.M., from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home. Rev. Canon Stocken will conduct the service at 2:30 o'clock, after which interment will be made in the family plot in Royal Oak Burial Park.

ANTROBUS—On January 22, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, there passed away Zecarais Antrobus, aged 82 years, born in Frodsham, Cheshire, England, and a resident of Beanich for the last fifteen years, late resident of 1224 "B" Street, Saanich. Deceased is survived by one son, John, of 2415 "B" Street, and two daughters, Mrs. J. Cockinas, of Brentwood, and Mrs. B. Everett, of Winnipeg, Man.; also several grandchildren. The funeral will be held on Saturday, Jan. 25, at 3:20 o'clock, at Carter's Funeral Home. Rev. O. L. Jull will officiate, interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

MUNN—On January 21 there passed away, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Mrs. Jennie Case Munn, widow of the late Charles Munn, who passed away in February, 1934, age seventy-three years, born in Aurora, Ontario, and a resident of this city for the past twenty-eight years, late residence with her son, Mr. F. C. Munn, 1112 Mason Street. She is survived by two sons, Frank C., at the family residence, and Albert Munn, of Duncan, B.C.; one sister, Mrs. Hattie Cooke, at the home; also four grandchildren.
The funeral will take place on Friday, January 24, at 2 o'clock, in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary, Ltd., under the auspices of Colfax Rebekah Lodge No. 1. I.O.O.F. Rev. Canon H. W. G. Stocken will officiate and the remains will be laid at rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

HEATLEY—There passed away, Wednesday evening, January 22, at the family residence, 3047 Washington Avenue, Mrs. Isabella Williamson Heatley, wife of Chief Thomas Heatley, in her fifty-second year, born in Keith, Banffshire, Scotland, and a resident of this city for the past twenty-three years. She is survived by, besides her husband, one son, George, of Salmon Arm; one daughter, Miss Mary Scott Heatley, at home; one brother, in Hamilton, Ont.; a sister, in Scotland; her stepmother, four half-brothers and three half-sisters, in Detroit. The late Mrs. Heatley was a valued member of Queen City Chapter No. 5, Eastern Star, and members will attend the funeral and read the Eastern Star service.
The funeral will take place on Saturday, January 25, at 2 o'clock, in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary, Ltd. Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson will officiate and the remains will be laid at rest in the Colwood Burial Park.

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10 COMING EVENTS

A BIG CANADIAN OLD-TIMES SATURday night dance, January 25, Lake Hill Community Centre, 8 till 12, Irvine's Orchestra, 25c, including supper. Bus at 12. Special prizes and lonjbois. Wonderful music and fine people. Don't miss it.

A.O.F. HALL, CORMORANT STREET, Saturday, special Leap Year ladies' night! First ten ladies admitted free! Cash spot prizes for all. Reg. Wood's Orchestra. Admission 25c.

A YOUNG PEOPLE'S CLUB WILL BE organized in Grist's Hall, 2526 Douglas Street. All young people who are interested are requested to attend.

A BIG OLD-TIME DANCE, STRAWberry Vale Hall, Friday, January 24. Scaife's Orchestra; refreshments; tombola. Admission 25c.

A CARD PARTY, FIVE HUNDRED, Royal Oak Hall, Friday, January 24, 8 p.m.

ANNUAL WORLD BRIDGE OLYMPIC, February 4, 8 p.m. Mrs. H. L. Roberts, name captain. E 9333.

BURNS ANNIVERSARY HAGGIS SUPper, concert and dance (Thistles), Friday, January 24, K. of P. Hall, Broad Street, 8 o'clock prompt. Evelyn Holt's Orchestra, Piper, James McMillen. Tickets, 50c, at Small's Bakery, Fort Street; Horseshoe, Government Street, and J. Mitchell, Johnson Street.

BASKET BALL GAME AND DANCE, COLwood Hall, Harry Saturday night. Jack Carter's Orchestra, refreshments, admission 25c.

C.P. REGULAR DANCE, 724 FORT, every Friday, 9-1; refreshments, 35c.

CRYSTAL GARDEN DANCE, EVERY Saturday night 8 to 12. Admission 25c.

DANCE AT K. P. HALL, BROAD Street, Saturday, January 25, 9 p.m.; tombola. Admission 25c.

DINE AND DANCE AT PEKIN CAFE. Gov't St., every Sat. at 6 p.m.; orchestra, no cover charge. Come up and Pekin.

LUXTON, FRIDAY NIGHT—LAST WEEK of the season we had real dancing music, but forgot to say the real hot-cha dancers go for that music too and that's how it is. Specials this week: Luxton vs. Otter Point men in one of those drag-'em-out basketball games. Also "Lolo," in tags number. See this. Hot Five and his boys in uniform, as usual. Game at 8, dance 9 to 1. Admission two bits.

OLD-TIME DANCE WILL BE HELD IN the Agricultural Hall, Veterans Ballroom, 1001 Wharf Street, on Wednesday, January 29. Scaife's Orchestra will supply the music. Dancing from 9 to 1. Admission 25c, including free checkroom.

RAOB PRIDE OF VICTORIA LODGE meeting nights changed from Thursdays to Fridays.

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CORDWOOD, SEMI-DRY, $4.00 CORD per load, 12-in., $5.50, bone-dry, $6.00. S. Spaven, E 7959.

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34 PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

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BATHS MASSAGE. CHIROPODY. MRS Barker. 225 Hows. Fairfield. G 1681.

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WM. T. OVERSTALL, OPTOMETRIST, 204 Kresge Bldg., 1104 Douglas. E 8652.

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38 TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS

A HEATED STORE IN HEART OF OAK Bay's shopping district. Rental $25 per month. Apply The Royal Trust Company, 1702 Government Street, Victoria, B.C. Phone E 4126.

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40 FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

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PERSIAN ART STORE STOCK
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See Our Window for Values
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A SIX-PIECE CREAM ENAMELED BEDroom suite, with wood springs and mattress, $25.00. Holland Bros., 715 Pandora. E 0913.

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NO FOOLING—WE HAVE SOME VERY nice second-hand bicycles for all sizes, at low prices. Plimley & Ritchie, 611 View Street.

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GLASS SID

A Mart for Busy Readers—Property for Sale or Trade

TO OUT-OF-TOWN SUBSCRIBERS

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67 BOATS AND LAUNCHES

BOATS BUILT AND REPAIRED. Engine installations. Machine work. Merline ways. VICTORIA MOTOR BOAT CO. 410 Bay Street E 1972

BOAT LUMBER, CEDAR, SPRUCE AND oak stock, low prices. Spruce oars $1.25 pair, shaped. DALZIEL, G 1422

74 TIMBER BROKERS

STANDING TIMBER SUITABLE FOR sawlogs, near Victoria. Will buy for cash or on stumpage. E 2328.

75 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

IF YOU ARE IN NEED OF A BUSINESS partner and your business will stand strictest investigation, come and see us. We have a number of clients wishing to purchase partnerships, either active or silent, in various lines of business. L. U. Conyers & Co., 1025 Douglas Street.

OPPORTUNITY—MAN WITH FURNACE experience; work guaranteed; invest $150, fully secured. Box 1077, Colonist.

ROOMING-HOUSE—EXCEPTIONAL OPportunity, near Parliament Buildings; rooms large, all have cooking ranges and gas fittings, radio and piano. Going concern, showing handsome profit. Well-built house, sunny corner. $800.00. E 2348.

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WE SPECIALIZE IN THE SALE OF businesses of all kinds and sizes. L. U. Conyers & Co., 1025 Douglas Street.

76 EXCHANGE—REAL ESTATE

ALBERTA, QUARTER SECTION, EIGHTY miles from Edmonton; 70 acres cleared, 25 acres brushed, balance timbered. Four-room house, excellent outbuildings, good water, railway one mile. Real farm, going concern. Worth $3,000. Clear title. Exchange for house in Saanich.

JOHN GREENWOOD
Bank of Toronto Bldg. 1405 Douglas St.

CHARLES F. EAGLES, 308 SAYWARD Bldg. Real Estate Exchanges. Notary Public. Free pictures of "Caddy" on request.

78 HOUSES FOR SALE

AN OPPORTUNITY TO TAKE ADVANtage of bargain. Two small bungalows and land in Fernwood District. Owner is leaving country, and will sell at sacrifice price. Consider any reasonable cash offer. Phone Mr. Hewett. E 5241.

COMFORTABLE BUNGALOW OF FIVE good-size rooms; sitting-room with open fireplace, dining-room, kitchen with pantry, two bedrooms, three-piece bathroom; both back and front porches enclosed with glass. Good garden in lawn, fruit and flowers. Full cement basement, furnace. For particulars, Box 8553, Colonist.

EXCEPTIONAL BARGAIN IN A NICE 4-roomed bungalow, in city limits. Basement, furnace, garage, fruit trees, good garden, at the very low price of $1,150.00, which includes range, linoleums, curtains. Immediate possession. Taxes paid for 1936. Good terms.

ONE ACRE OF LAND, WITH NICE OAK and other trees; high location, good garden soil; low taxes in Saanich; two-roomed cottages, city light and water; all for $650.00, on good terms.

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574 Yates Street, Victoria G 1851

SACRIFICE—$2,250

FIVE-ROOMED BUNGALOW, ALL MODern conveniences; large living-room with large fireplace; 2-piece bathroom, 2 bedrooms and kitchen; full-size basement; lot 50 x 120. Convenient to Gorge bus and 5 minutes to Gorge or Burnside car.

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HOUSES BUILT ON INSTALMENT plan. D. H. Bele, Contractor, Fort and Stadacona.

HOUSES designed, built. Alterations, repairs. Estimates. M. P. Peins. G 7068

$4,000—FAIRFIELD STUCCO BUNGALOW

SITUATE ON COOK STREET, OPPOsite the shelter belt in Beacon Hill Park, there is a stucco bungalow of six rooms, comprising, on the ground floor, a hall with coat cupboard, REALLY LARGE LIVING-ROOM, dining-room, Dutch kitchen with electric range and BREAKFAST NOOK, two bedrooms with ample cupboards, a bathroom and linen cupboards. There are oak floors in hall, living-room and dining-room, and fireplace in living-room. THERE IS A STAIRWAY TO THE ATTIC, WITH ONE FINISHED BEDROOM. The concrete basement contains the HOT-WATER HEATING SYSTEM with sawdust burner attachment. Easy terms can be arranged and mortgage taken over.

THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY
Real Estate Department
1202 Government Street Phone E 4128

CLOSE TO NORMAL SCHOOL. FURNISHED—IMMEDIATE POSSESSION. This attractive 4-roomed bungalow, built about four years ago, fully furnished, consisting of: Reception room with large open fireplace, kitchen and two bedrooms, three-piece up-to-date bathroom; built-in features. Low taxes. (Reasonable terms.) Only $2400

H. G. DALBY & CO., LTD.
624 View St. Opposite Spencer's

$550—4-ROOMED BUNGALOW, IN fair condition, with good bathroom and large glassed-in sunroom. Close to school and car. Located on high lot with fine view.

$1850—STUCCO BUNGALOW, PRACtically new; living-room, 3 bedrooms, 3-piece bathroom, kitchen and pantry. Full cement basement with furnace, laundry tubs and garage. Nice high location, close to school and car. Good terms. Let us show you this property.

$2350—NEW 4-ROOMED STUCCO bungalow; located on one of the best streets in Oak Bay, containing living-room with open fireplace and oak floors, 2 bedrooms, 5-piece bathroom with built-in bath. Kitchen with all the latest built-in features. Separate garage. Price includes new linoleum and window shades. Terms $35. A real good buy.

E. E. HEATH
623 Yates Street E 4041

COWICHAN BAY AND MILL BAY Waterfront Residences and Cottages for Sale or Rent
C. WALLICH
Real Estate and Insurance Agent
Cowichan Station, B.C.

4-ROOM COTTAGE, FURNISHED; BEDroom, sitting-room, kitchen; electric light, woodshed, chicken house, goat house, newly painted; new fence; fruit trees. $550.00 cash. 219 Cedilla.

79 WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES

WANTED TO PURCHASE, IN ESQUImalt, good modern bungalow, about $2,000, on terms. G 1851.

80 PROPERTY FOR SALE

UPLANDS DISTRICT
TWO GOOD VIEW LOTS

THESE two choice building lots have the best view to be found around Victoria. Adjoining the Uplands. Offered at less than half value. Size 50 x 120. $350 each, two for $650.

LEE, FRASER CO., LTD.
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81 PROPERTY WANTED

WATERFRONTAGE, SHAWNIGAN, with or without building. Complete particulars, lowest price. Box 1282 Colonist.

84 ACREAGE WANTED

WANTED — 5 - 10 ACRES, BETWEEN Nanaimo and Qualicum, near Island Highway. Armstrong, Wadsley.

NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT
R.S.C. 1927, Chapter 140

SIDNEY Roofing & Paper Company, Limited, hereby gives notice that it has, under Section 7 of the said Act, deposited with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and in the office of the District Registrar of the Land Registry District of Victoria, at Victoria, British Columbia, a description of the site and the plans of a wharf proposed to be built in the Victoria Harbor at Victoria, B.C., on amended Sub-Lot No. 3 of Lot 118, Esquimalt District, British Columbia, between the harbor line of the said harbor and the shore line.

And take notice that after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice Sidney Roofing & Paper Company, Limited, will, under Section 7 of the said Act, apply to the Minister of Public Works at his office in the city of Ottawa for approval of the said site and plans and for leave to construct the said wharf.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 10th day of January, 1936.

SIDNEY ROOFING & PAPER CO., LTD.,
Per A. D. Macfar', Jr., Secretary.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A CLUB LICENCE

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 17th day of February next, the undersigned Royal Victoria Yacht Club intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a Club Licence in respect of premises situate at Uplands, Ripon Road, Oak Bay, upon lands described as Lot No. 1, Block No. 7, Section 21, Map No. 1218A, Victoria Land Registration District, in the Province of British Columbia, to entitle each member of the said Club to keep on the premises a reasonable quantity of liquor for personal consumption on the premises, in accordance with the provisions of the "Government Liquor Act" and the resulations promulgated thereunder.

Dated this 16th day of January, 1936.

ROYAL VICTORIA YACHT CLUB.

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH

NOTICE is hereby given that Public Meetings will be held as follows:
Ward 1—Jan. 20, at St. Luke's Hall.
Ward 2—Jan. 22, at St. Mark's Hall.
Ward 3—Jan. 20, at Gordon Head Hall.
Ward 4—Jan. 21, at Woman's Institute Hall, Marigold.
Ward 5—Jan. 23, at Royal Oak Hall.
Ward 6—Jan. 23, at Temperance Hall.
Ward 7—Jan. 22, at Mt. View High School.
All meetings to commence at 8 p.m.

R. R. F. SEWELL,
Municipal Clerk

Beautiful Uplands Home
½-ACRE LAWN AND OAKS

This is the best nine-room home in this exclusive district for sale. It has just been completed, and is absolutely up to date in every respect. Hot water heated and oak floors in hall, and in all main rooms, including sunroom. There are two lovely bathrooms, and lovely kitchen, with long tile sink. There are other features too numerous to mention. Price Terms $8,500

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A Real Opportunity

To purchase a high-class small bungalow on the sea front. Contains large living-room, tiled fireplace, good size dining-room, very modern kitchen, tiled sink, large cupboards, wired for electric range; three large bedrooms, one with a fireplace suitable for a den, all on one floor; a beautiful tiled bathroom, full cement basement with wash tubs, hot-water heating, hardwood floors throughout, garage for two cars; situated in Oak Bay. All electric fittings and linoleum are also installed. The price has been reduced to a very low figure for a quick sale. Terms can be arranged. For price and permission to inspect apply at office.

Pemberton & Son, Ltd.
625 FORT STREET PHONE G 8124

TRADES

6-roomed house, clear title, for Oak Bay lots.
5-roomed bungalow for small farm.
16-acre farm, will take city or Vancouver bungalow as part payment.
6-roomed bungalow, near Jubilee Hospital, for five rooms in Fairfield.
6-roomed house, near Hillside, for a small farm.

Square Deal Realty
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Something Worth While

Semi-bungalow of six rooms (one bedroom down), full basement, open fireplace; furnace; garage; beautifully decorated inside; attractive garden; close to schools, church and car line; just outside one-mile circle. Taxes about $60. Clear title. Terms arranged. For quick sale now cut to

$1,500
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A really fine Fairfield home with four bedrooms and two bathrooms for only $3,150?

Yes, and this semi-bungalow has living-room, dining-room, den (with fireplace) and a bedroom with bathroom en suite on the ground floor, and three bedrooms and bathroom upstairs. In a beautiful situation near park and sea. This is a very

ATTRACTIVE HOUSE at an ATTRACTIVE PRICE

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SAANICH
THREE LARGE LOTS AND A SPOTLESS FOUR-ROOM BUNGALOW WITH A NICE GARDEN

Located only 2½ miles from Victoria City Hall; good bus service; low taxes, only $21 yearly. The bungalow comprises: Four rooms, bathroom and pantry; fireplace in living-room; nice bright large kitchen, garage, woodshed, blinds, linoleum, electric fixtures, good fences, a large chicken house, etc.

ONLY $1600, TERMS

One-quarter cash, balance like rent. Discount for half cash. Offers invited.

For inspection "See Ray," care of
L. M. ROSEVEAR & CO., LTD.
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OAK BAY WATERFRONT

Nearly three-quarters of an acre of waterfrontage, just off Beach Drive. Small bay with private beach. Beautiful view. Would make two good home sites. Let us show you this property. Price $3,250

WISE & CO., Ltd., 100 Pemberton Bldg.

GAGNE LEADS ESKS TO WIN

Veteran Stars in Edmonton's 6-5 Ice Hockey Victory Over Vancouver Lions

EDMONTON, Jan. 23 (CP).—With the veteran Art Gagne leading the way, Edmonton Eskimos defeated Vancouver Lions 6-5 in overtime in a Northwestern Hockey League game here tonight. The defeat marked Vancouver's third straight loss on the Prairies, and the sixth straight win for Edmonton.

SUMMARY

First Period—1, Vancouver, O'Neill (Smith-Hextall), 8:45. No penalties.

Second Period—2, Edmonton, Gagne, 1:00; 3, Edmonton, Gagne (Carriere), 8:10; 4, Vancouver, Hextall (O'Neill), 9:05; 5, Edmonton, Whittles, 11:40. Penalty, Gagne.

Third Period—6, Vancouver, O'Neill (Hextall-Smith), 1:50; 7, Edmonton, Martin (Gagne), 3:00; 8, Vancouver, Dyck (Hutton), 16:30. Penalty, Palm. Penalty shot, Gagne.

Overtime Period—9, Edmonton, Whittles (Rimstad), 4:55; 10, Edmonton, Gagne (Holmes), 5:55; 11, Vancouver, Dyck (Palm), 7:05. No penalties.

NEW ORLEANS RACING

FAIR GROUNDS, NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 23.—Results here today follow:

First Race—Six furlongs:

Lou Lytle (Polk)	$8.00	4.40	$3.20
Royal Image (T. P. Martin)		4.00	2.00
Harem Queen (Dubois)			2.40

Time, 1:14. Also ran: Botvale, Judge Beckell, Wee Will, Mr. Stein, Phyllis R., House Warmer, Princess Jean, Pinmere, Sunnya.

Second Race—Six furlongs:

Benefit (Parke)	$5.20	$3.40	$2.80
Silver Chief (Polk)		4.00	2.60
Gallopette (Miller)			4.00

Time, 1:13 2-5. Also ran: Squrie Bob, Supremert, Errant Lady, Burgoo Moonbeam, Slip Knot, Good Aim, Specs, Miss Envy.

Third Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:

No Mistake (Polk)	$7.00	$3.80	$3.00
Gay Bird (Vail)		8.00	5.20
Scimitar (G. Smith)			3.60

Time, 1:47 4-5. Also ran: Simon, Merry Irene, Omar Jones, Bobs Play, Southland Poet, Hey Flirt, Cortles John, Noble Sir, Clovinia.

Fourth Race—Six furlongs:

Declaration (Hebert)	$27.00	$12.60	$6.00
Commandment (Pace)		4.00	2.20
Vee Eight (Fontaine)			2.60

Time, 1:13 1-5. Also ran: Porter Cell, Zekiel, Inflate, Whizz James, Levael.

Fifth Race—One mile:

Neverfade (West)	$4.20	$3.00	$2.60
Captain Logan (Parke)		4.40	2.80
Irish Vote (Conley)			3.40

Time, 1:40 4-5. Also ran: Sultry, Sura Gamble, Late News, Canteron.

Sixth Race—Mile and seventy yards:

Rip Van Winkle (Jacobs)	$7.00	$3.80	$2.20
Fire Advance (Garland)		8.20	4.00
Ocean (Manifold)			2.40

Time, 1:41 4-5. Also ran: Indian Belute, Julia Grant, Thomasville.

Seventh Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:

Enola (Parke)	$3.20	$2.60	$2.60
Golden X (Tilden)		3.20	2.80
Lady Rockledge (Lowe)			7.00

Time, 1:47 1-5. Also ran: Cotton Time, Booby Sweep, Marcelei, Beckville, Showman, Wild Kitty, Sierella II, Austerlia, Who Said.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

First Race—Five and one-half furlongs.

Lauedier	110
Mervim	110
Quibrau	110
Lorem Chat	110
Liberty Oak	115
Forecliut	115
Prosecutor	115
Mere Prince	115
Donna Wood	105
Domination Star	110
Yule Star	110
Just Imperial	110
Little Henry	110
Footlights	110
Hot Flash	115
All Upset	110
Lamplight	110
Dark Roamer	120

Second Race—Mile and one-sixteenth.

Jim Ormont	112
Dorothy Dale	107
Captain Danger	112
Aerial Trumpet	112
Arctic Star	110
Tyrasal	112
Scream	115
Busy Master	112
Chicfine	107
Bob Weigel	115
Little Satin	112
Ruff Day	113
Dusky Lass	102
Daddy Bill	112
Urchin	115
Lucky Turn	115
Smooth	115

Third Race—Mile and one-sixteenth.

Jambelaya	115
Sporting Meudie	105
Muturi Friend	107
Bie Torch	108
Brilliant Miss	103
My Dear	108
Glove	108
Gnomie	112
Julian J. R	105
Ski	105
Sun Caprice	108
Tidalholm	115
Shirley B	107
Senator Mike	115
Persuader	107
Labelotte	103
Cresta Run	115
Sure Gamble	113

Fourth Race—Mile and one-sixteenth.

Ilyklan	107
Cordon Bleau	110
Camp Parole	115
Judge G	112
Traumasne	112
Black Flash	102
Brown Hilda	103
Scout Chief	110
Discobolus	115
Empress Wu	103
Firemark	107
Imperial Blondy	105
Probationer	115
Chiefs Troubador	110
French Maid	105
War Dimes	115
Col Cloister	115

Fifth Race—One mile.

Per Jolie	113
Joe Geary	114
Syree	104
Clodo	112
Pegays Peggy	109
Heresard	107
Boston Common	111
Rim On	109
Two Brooms	107
Ushanero	116
Ben Clo	114
Mysterious Nell	103
Goddess Beau	112
Sleepy Joe	113
Just Mrs.	111
Gcorge	109
Defirc	114
Teenie R.	107

Sixth Race—Five and one-half furlongs.

Judge Primrose	107
Bald Crest	112
Eddy Lee	113
Flashing Thru	110
Whitherrid	112
Rishi	112
Cold Step	112

Seventh Race—Mile and seventy yards.

Golden Energy	111
Civil	111
Game Annie	99
Una O	104
Dewbuds	111
Dark Hazard	104
Bunny C	102
Micht Surprise	104
Chasrin	101
Miss T	102
Bis Charley	109
Mr. Boss	111
Sugar Creek	104
Blind Guardien	104
Jim McConnell	114
Solette	99
Maene Mater	104

Eighth Race (substitute)—Five and one-half furlongs.

Kina Crusader	115
Talvores	107
Alwin	110
Rubens Choice	110
Wise Carmen	110
Premeditate	107
Well Heeled	115
Sarazen II	110
Mintoree	110
Zinelone	120
Sils Coverins	110
Halliard	110
Chianti	115
Sir Kel	115
Shoot	110
Inspection	110
Onaide	115
Ease In	110

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AROUND the DIAL

TODAY

8 a.m.—Dr. Walter Damrosch will conduct the seventh concert in the "C" and "D" series of the "Music Appreciation Hour" over the N.B.C.-WJZ-blue network. Series "C" deals with the overture and will be demonstrated by the playing of Mozart's overture to "Don Giovanni" and the overture to Wagner's "The Mastersingers." Series "D," dealing with composers, will be examples of the works of Schubert, including overture to "Rosamunde" and finale from "Symphony No. 7 in "C." KJR.

1:45 p.m.—Lauritz Melchior, leading Wagnerian tenor of the Metropolitan Opera, will appear as guest artist with Margaret Santy on her "Tea at the Ritz" programme. Jerry Cooper and Harold Stern's Orchestra will also be heard. KOL, KVI.

6 p.m.—James Dunn and Sally Eilers, one of Hollywood's favorite screen sweetheart couples, and Pinky Tomlin, will present a microphone preview of their new picture, "Don't Get Personal," during the "Hollywood Hotel" programme with Dick Powell, Igor Gorin, Frances Langford, Anne Jamison and Ray Paige's Orchestra. KOL, KVI, KSL.

7 p.m.—"Oriental Episode," a thrilling romance of the hinterlands of China, with Betty Lou Gerson as the daughter of a newspaper proprietor, Cliff Soubier, who finds herself with a forceful news correspondent, Don Ameche, in a primitive land, will be presented on the "First Nighter" programme. KOMO.

9 p.m.—Fred Waring and his Pennsylvanians in their second N.B.C. appearance. KOMO.

9 p.m.—The Colonist news. CFCT.

9:45 p.m.—A blow-by-blow description of the Fabio Dano and Dick Welsh fight from Hollywood Legion Stadium with Lee Cooley and Stuart Buchanan at the microphone. KNX.

11 p.m.—Joe Venuti and his orchestra in the weekly dance presentation from the Pasadena Civic Auditorium. KNX.

SATURDAY FEATURES

Best features for Saturday follow:

10:30 a.m.—A special programme over N.B.C. to mark the birthday of Robert Burns. KOMO or KJR.

10:55 a.m.—Broadcast in its entirety from the Metropolitan Opera of Puccini's lyric comedy "La Rondine," with Lucrezia Bori and a strong supporting cast. KOMO.

6 p.m.—Foster Hewitt, ace Canadian hockey announcer, will give a play-by-play account of the Toronto Maple Leafs-Detroit Red Wings game from Toronto. CRCV.

CFCT, Victoria (1,430 Kcys.)

7 30 a.m.—Rise and Shine
8 00 a.m.—Ur. Clem Davies
8 30 a.m.—Musical Chronometer
9 00 a.m.—Let's Go Places With Eric Marshall.
9 15 a.m.—Morning Moods.
9 30 a.m.—Financial Report
9 35 a.m.—Alphabetts.
9 45 a.m.—Golden Melodies.
10 00 a.m.—Dr. Clem Davies.
10 15 a.m.—Estelle Kelley.
10 20 a.m.—Art Parez at the Piano
11 00 a.m.—Modern Rhythm.
11 30 a.m.—Concert Music.
12 00 noon—Today's Tempo.
12 15 p.m.—World Bookman: "How High Up Does the Earth's Air Extend?"
12 20 p.m.—Ten Tuneful Minutes.
12 30 p.m.—CFCT World Flashes.
12 45 p.m.—Midday Musical.
1 00 p.m.—Daily Monitor.
5 20 p.m.—Birthday Party
6 00 p.m.—Bie Brother Al.
6 20 p.m.—Music Lovers' Corner
6 40 p.m.—Sons Parade.
7 00 p.m.—Sundown
7 15 p.m.—Alberi Heald, Esquimalt police commissioner.
7 30 p.m.—Capt. Harbord.
7 45 p.m.—Rene Crouch
8 00 p.m.—Musical Finale
8 30 p.m.—Reflections in Melody.
9 00 p.m.—Colonist News.

CRCV, Vancouver, B.C. (1,100 kcys)

5 00 p.m.—Do You Remember
5 30 p.m.—She C.R.C. Network.

KNX, Hollywood (1,050 kcys)

6 45 p.m.—Jimmie Allen's Air Adventures
7 00 p.m.—Elmer Goes to Hollywood
7 15 p.m.—Sonns of Yesteryear.
7 20 p.m.—In-Laws, comedy sketch.
7 45 p.m.—The King Cowboys.
8 00 p.m.—Frost Warning.
8 05 p.m.—Shaun Crawford.
8 15 p.m.—Lucca's Concert Orchestra.
8 20 p.m.—Quartiette
8 45 p.m.—Townsend Plan, political.
9 00 p.m.—News
9 20 p.m.—Echoes of Stage and Screen.
9 45 p.m.—Hollywood Stadium Boxing.
11 00 p.m.—Pasadena Civic Auditorium
11 45 p.m.—Trans-Pacific News.

C.B.C. NETWORK

5 30 p.m.—News (B.C. Network).
5 30 p.m.—Concert Hour, director, Ben Kriss. Detroit (B.C. 5 45).
6 00 p.m.—Anything Goes, Halifax.
6 20 p.m.—Canadian Concert Hall of the Air, director, J. J. Gagnier, Andre Mathieu, pianist, Montreal.
7 00 p.m.—Up-to-the-Minute, music and drama, Toronto.
7 30 p.m.—Gems from Forarty's Chateau Laurier Orchestra, Ottawa
7 45 p.m.—Canadian Press News
8 00 p.m.—Time Signal
8 00 p.m.—Fiesta, director, Don Pedro Gonzalez, Vancouver (Midwest and Western Network).
8 30 p.m.—Music for Music's Sake, director, Isaac Mamott, Winnipeg (Western Network).
9 00 p.m.—The Ghost Walker, dramatic, director, Mercer McLeod, Trail (Western Network).
9 30 p.m.—Between the Bookends, Brock Smith, Vancouver (B.C. Network).
9 45 p.m.—Remembered Tunes of Not So Long Ago, Calgary (Mountain Network).
10 00 p.m.—News (B.C. Network).
10 15 p.m.—The Gypsy Fiddler, Chilliwack (B.C. Network).
10 30 p.m.—Harmony Violins, director, Sydney Kelland, Vancouver (B.C. Network).

N.B.C.-KPO RED NETWORK
KHQ-KGW-KPT-KPO-KOMO

7 30 a.m.—Stirina Time, director, E. Polak
8 15 a.m.—Honeyboy and Sassafras.
8 30 a.m.—Merry Madcaps, Cloutier's Orchestra.
9 45 a.m.—Jules Lande and Ensemble
10 00 a.m.—Soloist
10 15 a.m.—Concert Miniatures
10 30 a.m.—Sammy Kaye's Orchestra.
11 00 a.m.—Magic of Speech, Vida Sutton
11 30 a.m.—Airbreaks, variety musicals.
12 00 noon—Soloist.
12 15 p.m.—Ma Perkins, dramatic.
12 30 p.m.—Vic and Sade, household comedy
12 45 p.m.—The O'Neills, dramatic.
1 00 p.m.—Betty and Bob, dramatic.
1 15 p.m.—Gene Arnold and Ranch Boys
1 30 p.m.—Girl Alone, drama.
1 45 p.m.—Betty Marlowe and company.
2 00 p.m.—Congress Speaks
2 20 p.m.—Hazel Warner, contralto; Paul Carson, organ.
2 45 p.m.—To be announced.
3 00 p.m.—Women's Magazine of the Air.
4 00 p.m.—Totten on Sports
4 15 p.m.—Concert Recital
4 30 p.m.—Harold Dane, baritone
4 45 p.m.—Lansendorf Pictorial, Rush Hughes.
5 00 p.m.—Irene Rich in drama.
5 15 p.m.—Nuts and Bolts.
5 30 p.m.—College Prom, Red Nichols Orchestra.
6 00 p.m.—Al Pearce and His Gang.
6 30 p.m.—Fred Waring's Pennsylvanians.
7 00 p.m.—First Nighter, drama with Don Ameche.
7 30 p.m.—To be announced.
8 00 p.m.—Amos 'n' Andy
8 15 p.m.—Lum and Abner, comedy.
8 30 p.m.—Court of Human Relations.
9 00 p.m.—Leon Belasco's Orchestra
9 30 p.m.—Luisi Romanelli's Orchestra
10 00 p.m.—News Flashes, Sam Hayes.
10 15 p.m.—Ricardo and His Violin
10 20 p.m.—Eddie Fitzpatrick, Jr., and His Orchestra.
11 00 p.m.—Ted Lewis' Orchestra.
11 30 p.m.—Biltmore Hotel Orchestra.

NBC-KGO BLUE NETWORK
KGO-KJR-KEX-KECA-KOA

8 00 a.m.—N.B.C. Music Appreciation Hour, director, Dr. Walter Damrosch
9 00 a.m.—Simpson Boys of Spruceland Bay.
9 15 a.m.—Merry Macs
9 30 a.m.—National Farm and Home Hour
10 00 a.m.—You Name It.
10 30 a.m.—Gale Page, contralto
10 45 a.m.—Dot and Will, Fannie Kilbourne stories.
11 00 a.m.—Words and Music, music and narrator.
11 30 a.m.—Western Farm and Home Hour
12 15 p.m.—United States Marine Band
12 45 p.m.—The King's Jesters
1 00 p.m.—Woman's Radio Review
1 30 p.m.—Ward and Muzzy, piano duo
1 45 p.m.—Strolling Sonsters, Nellie Revell's reminiscences.
2 00 p.m.—Nicholas Maltby's Orchestra
2 30 p.m.—Organist
2 45 p.m.—Benny Goodmen's Orchestra
3 00 p.m.—Animal News Club
3 15 p.m.—Mary Small, songs
3 25 p.m.—Mickey Gillette
3 30 p.m.—Musical Moments
3 35 p.m.—Lee Gordon's Orchestra
3 45 p.m.—Three Scamps, vocal trio.
4 00 p.m.—Dinner Concert.
4 15 p.m.—Concert Recital.
4 30 p.m.—Console Capers.
4 45 p.m.—Lois Ravel, songs.
5 00 p.m.—Marshall's Mavericks
5 30 p.m.—Once Upon a Time (KGO)
5 45 p.m.—Jack Armstrong, dramatic sketch (KGO)
6 00 p.m.—Carlotta Kins, soprano
6 30 p.m.—Mindways, human behavior (KGO)
8 30 p.m.—Sax-o-tunes, orchestre director Mickey Gillette
6 45 p.m.—Air Adventures of Jimmy Allen, sketch (KGO)
7 00 p.m.—Chester Bowell (KGO)
7 30 p.m.—Nickelodeon, comedy, songs, melodrama
7 30 p.m.—The Other Americas, speakers
8 00 p.m.—Everyman's Palace, Bercux Art Trio (KGO).
8 00 p.m.—Dorothy Lamour, songs.
8 15 p.m.—Ink Spots, Negro Male Quartette.
8 30 p.m.—Those O'Malleys, comedy (KGO)
8 30 p.m.—Emil Coleman's Orchestra
9 00 p.m.—Shandor, violinist
9 00 p.m.—Ruby Newman's Orchestra
9 30 p.m.—George Duffy's Orchestra.
10 00 p.m.—Paul Pendarvis' Orchestra.
10 30 p.m.—Del Courtney's Orchestra
11 00 p.m.—Diamond Horseshoe, organist

C.B.S.-DON LEE NETWORK
KVI-KFRC-KOIN-KSL-KOL

6 30 a.m.—Ozark Mountaineers
8 45 a.m.—Just Plain Bill, sketch
8 00 a.m.—Voice of Experience, human problems.
9 15 a.m.—Eddie Dunsiedter, organ (KOL)
9 30 a.m.—Story of Mary Marlin, dramatic
9 45 a.m.—Five Star Jones, dramatic
10 00 a.m.—Josephine B. Gibson, food programme
10 45 a.m.—Fred Wild's Birdnt Trio
11 00 a.m.—To be announced.
11 30 a.m.—School of the Air—Vocations; Guidance, "Getting Acquainted With Yourself" Current Events, "Behind the Foreign News of the Week," by Raymond Gram Swing
12 00 noon—Bolek Musicale.
12 30 p.m.—Mark Warnow's Orchestra
1 00 p.m.—Vivian Della Chiesa, soprano.
1 15 p.m.—U.S. Army Band (KVI only 1:30).
2 00 p.m.—Joseph Plotkin Orchestra (KVI).
2 00 p.m.—Al Trace's Orchestra (KOL).
2 15 p.m.—Buddy Clark, baritone
2 30 p.m.—Nothing But the Truth, Alex McQueen.
2 45 p.m.—The Goldbergs
3 00 p.m.—Feminine Fancies (Don Lee)

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Rowntree's Chocolate Bars, large size, each ..... 10¢
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Libby's Pork and Beans, 28-oz. tin ..... 11¢
Libby's Tomato Juice, 14½-oz. tin, 2 tins for ..... 15¢
Little John Rolled Oats, 6's, per sack ..... 25¢
Aylmer Corn, 2's, 2 tins ..... 19¢
Green Peas, No. 5's, 2 tins ..... 19¢
Stanley's Marmalade, 4-lb. tin ..... 41¢
Big Five Cleanser, per pkt. ..... 5¢
Connor's Clams, 2 tins ..... 15¢
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Tasty, per lb. **21c**
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Licorice Allsorts, lb. **18¢**
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What Today Means

"AQUARIUS"

If January 24 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. and from 8:30 to 10:30 p.m. The danger periods are from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. and from 10:30 p.m. until midnight.

You might have the misfortune of encountering a snob this day. Snobbishness is the vulgarian's cloak usually used to cover his, or her, skeleton of her extremely common origin. You can well afford to overlook any lack of breeding emanating from that source. The wise business man and salesman will sell on quality rather than price this day. However, be on the lookout for the unprincipled price-cutter, who tries to cover up, by misrepresentation, the deficiencies of his offerings. In your social contacts be careful you do not give unintentional offense by an ambiguous remark, which might be misconstrued as veiled sarcasm. Married and engaged couples, and those contemplating matrimony will find they can accomplish much more by asking, than by demanding. A tactfully worded request seldom arouses anger, whereas a domineering attitude seldom fails to antagonize.

If a woman, and January 24 is your birthday, you are the type of person people, as a whole, like to meet. You must definitely overcome any feeling of wanting to be left alone to do as you please, for it will be through your being sociable that you may attain a position which perhaps will be your making. You have the qualifications for leadership, so make good use of them. Never allow any ambition to interfere with love or domestic obligations if you wish to be really happy. Be careful not to waste too much time investigating foolish fads. As a scientific or social welfare worker, illustrator, designer, candy maker, journalist or professional hostess you can perhaps accomplish wonders. You are the kind that probably can make the most finicky sort of man both contented and happy.

The child born on January 24 during its formative years, requires firmness without harshness, love without overindulgence and encouragement without effusiveness.

If a man and January 24 is your natal day, you have everything in your favor to enable your achieving enviable results. Discouragement is the only thing that can down you, if you allow it to, so have backbone enough to fight it to a finish. Success is yours, if you prove yourself to be a good fighter. Law, theology, writing, educational work, commercial photography or art are among the activities you should engage in.

"You're very interested in that stuffed bird," said the ornithologist.

"Yes," said the aviation expert. "I think its steering gear infringes one of my patents."

Hostess—Now, Tommy, why don't you go and play with your little friends?

Tommy—I've only got one little friend, and I hate him.

COMPANY LIST IN B.C. BRISK

New Year Rush of Fresh Businesses Is Being Well Maintained

Company incorporations continued briskly in the province this week, together with entry of three extra-provincial concerns. The list was as follows:

Banford Logging Company, Ltd., $5,000, New Westminster.

B.C. Highland Dancing Association, under Societies Act.

The Church Camp Council, under Societies Act.

Ever-Kool, Ltd., $10,000, Victoria.

Lions' Gate Press, Ltd., $5,000, Vancouver.

McRae Farms, Ltd., $150,000, Vancouver.

Monkton' Investments, Ltd., $1,000,000, Vancouver.

National Investment Company, Ltd., $10,000, Vancouver.

Osborn Bay Wharf Company, Ltd., $100,000, Hillcrest.

Pickards Girll, Ltd., $10,000, Vancouver.

Public Address, Ltd., 10,000 shares of no par value, Vancouver.

United Motors, Ltd., $10,000, Trail.

Vancouver Cedar Products, Ltd., $50,000, Vancouver.

The Vancouver Independent Company, Ltd., $15,000, Vancouver.

Vernon Estates, [illegible], $10,000, Vernon.

Crescent Canadian Shows, Ltd., of Penticton, with paid-up capital of $5,000; Dominion Sound Equipments, Ltd., of Montreal and Vancouver, with paid-up capital of $500, and Rambler Silver Mines, Inc., of Yakima and Grand Forks, with paid-up capital of $46,000, were granted extra-provincial registration.

BICYCLE THEFT COMES TO COURT OF APPEAL

The Court of Appeal is now reviewing a case which was disposed of by Police Magistrate Gillies, of Burnaby, in which Pete Gurniak is charged with being in possession of a bicycle, knowing it to be stolen. For the appellant, who was sentenced to six months in jail, C. G. Beeston is appearing. The accused is thirty-five years of age and married. He was not represented by counsel at the hearing.

Mr. Beeston said the prisoner got the bicycle from his brother, Max, who in turn had got it from his brother, Mike. As a matter of fact, the bicycle had been altered and was not the same as originally. He held that it was not reasonable to believe that the accused had stolen the bicycle, or that he had knowledge of the theft.

The Crown's side is to be heard this morning, M. B. Jackson, K.C., appearing as counsel.

The German laboratories may have to produce a synthetic form of liberty.

Giants and Jesters in Public Life

By FRED COOK

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TWO STORIES OF DAVIN'S

Mention has already been made in these articles of Nicholas Flood Davin's aptitude as a raconteur. Get him in congenial company and in the right mood he would keep the conversation going for hours, one good story with another. He was best when narrating his experiences as a war correspondent.

Davin had been called to the English bar at the Hilary Term in 1868. He was then twenty-five years of age. For two years he was a briefless barrister, and then his opportunity came. When war broke out between France and Prussia in midsummer in 1870 he was commissioned by The Irish Times, of Dublin, as its correspondent with the French armies. The Times linked up its service with The London Standard so that the young Irishman acted for both newspapers. The principal French army, under Marshal Bazaine, was at Metz, in Lorraine, which, with its sister province, Alsace, was ceded to Prussia when the war was over. Both provinces reverted to France, it will be remembered, after the Great War of 1914-1918.

IN THE WAR ZONE

Realizing that there would likely be strenuous fighting near Metz, Davin, with a score of other English speaking war correspondents decided to make his headquarters for the time being in that city. Among the corps of correspondents was the famous George Augustus Sala, representing The London Daily Telegraph. Davin described him as a wonderful linguist, and a brilliant talker and writer, although inclined to be bombastic and egotistical. Sala's methods as a war observer were unique—quite different to those of the correspondents of later years. Chronically lazy, although by no means a coward, he stuck pretty close to his hotels not bothering to go to the front. While his confreres would be near the firing line, Sala remained in Metz talking to staff officers, interviewing prisoners and wounded, and then, piecing their stories together, would write a dispatch in vivid English which when printed sent the circulation of The Daily Telegraph jumping by leaps and bounds. Incidentally, Nicholas Flood confessed, that a lively imagination was essential in the make-up of a successful correspondent. The best of his stories from the front, he admitted, had been written in bed, with a whiskey and soda at his elbow, to stimulate his mental activities.

NEWSPAPER CORPS

The newspaper corps had not been at Metz many days, Davin recalled, when a Canadian was added to their number—Mr. Gordon Brown, representing The Toronto Globe. It was the first occasion the Irishman had met him, but in later years, in Canada, they were to see each other frequently. Gordon Brown at that time had a sort of roving commission for The Globe. Not until some years later was he to be chief editor of that paper when his brother, the Hon. George Brown, was murdered by a discharged employee. The younger Brown was affected by a wanderlust. Practically every year saw him crossing the Atlantic. Thus it was that being in England in the Summer of 1870 he conceived the idea of seeing something of the war, and found himself in Metz that August.

LOSES HIS SHIRT

Practically all the English correspondents lodged at the Hotel "Chaos," Sala's name for the hostelry. They generally breakfasted together, and then separted to pick up the overnight war news. According to Davin's story, one morning Brown was missing. Some one went to his room to see if there was anything wrong and found the Torontonian in a great state of agitation. His only shirt had disappeared, and he could not come down to breakfast until he got another. When this was reported at the breakfast table there was both hilarity and sympathy. What had happened to Brown might be the lot of any one of the other correspondents.

The suggestion was thereupon made that Sala, the dean of the newspaper corps, and speaking French like a native, should interview the landlord and impress upon him that the missing article should be restored, or else that a new one be procured. Sala, in his pompous manner, replied that he would do nothing of the kind; that Brown's shirt fitted him to a T, and that if the Canadian could not induce the maître d' hotel to supply him with another he might remain in bed.

It is unnecessary to repeat Davin's summary of the awful blunders made by the French under Bazaine, MacMahon, and Bourbaki; of the wonderful opportunities for victory which they missed. Instead one disaster followed another. Bazaine was bottled up in Metz and finally had to capitulate. MacMahon was overwhelmingly defeated at Sedan, laid down his arms and the Emperor, Napoleon III surrendered. The road to Paris was now clear for the Germans.

RETREAT OF WRITERS

As the French were driven back the war correspondents had also to retreat, until Davin found himself in Paris. Before long it became apparent to him that Paris would be invested, and he decided to get out. In October he proceeded to Tours where Leon Gambetta, head of the delegation of the newly formed provisional government, and who had just arrived by balloon from Paris, was busily engaged organizing the Army of the Loire, which later greatly harassed the invaders. At the auberge where he was resting the Irish journalist made the acquaintance of a Yankee army contractor, who was very anxious to secure an order for military clothing from Gambetta, but was handicapped by not being able to speak the French language. As soon as the American ascertained that Davin could converse fluently in that language, he made a substantial offer to him to act as his interpreter, promising to pay him well for his services.

WERE NO CONTRACTS

Davin accepted, and in a day or so he and his principal were ushered into Gambetta's presence, by appointment. The American's request was for a contract to furnish clothing for five thousand soldiers in the new army. The reply of the representative of the Provisional Government was that no contracts were being given out. When told what the answer was the American shifted his ground. "Tell him," he remarked to Davin "that if he does not want clothing for his half-clad troops I would like an order for five thousand coffins in which to bury them, as whether alive or dead their bodies will require protection." Davin demurred; it would never do to make such an offer to a distinguished man like Gambetta, but the Yankee drummer was adamant. Then it was that Gambetta's enquired: "What does he say?" Davin replied that he would prefer not to translate the American's observations, but Gambetta in turn was insistent, and Davin had to give the request in full. Gambetta laughed heartily at the Yankee, and in the end authorized him to furnish the uniforms.

Davin by this time had had enough of war correspondence and continued on from Tours to London. He had not been there many days when he received a substantial check for his services as interpreter. After a few months in London the brilliant Irishman came to Canada in 1872 where he spent the remainder of his days

TYPIST FINDS WORK EASIER NOW

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Cloth, 72 x 90 inches, and 8 napkins. Regular $10.50 a set for **$8.50**
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How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON

BIRD-WITTED

"For centuries," says Milton Mackaye, writing on the thesis that "Birds Are Born Educated," students believe that birds were creatures of great intelligence. But year by year, naturalists learn more about the habits of birds—and now they know the truth: that birds hardly think at all.

"The other day," relates Mr. Mackaye, "I discussed with Dr. Robert Cushman Murphy, of the American Museum of Natural History in New York, the many legends of intelligent behavior which are handed down by owners of feathered pets. 'As a matter of fact, said Dr. Murphy, 'birds—even the higher types such as parrots, crows and song birds—have very little machinery to think with. We cannot realize how stupid they are.'"

The interesting phrase of this article is the assumption that people have all credited birds with the possession of a high order of creative thought power. While some such idea may have been entertained by the ancients, to an extent, the theory is a straw man so far as concerns the last few hundred years. This is borne out by the fact that as far back at 1605 we find a written use of the term "bird-witted" described by Bacon as meaning flightiness, lack of ability to concentrate mentally, having the brains of a bird—that is, having none.

An unemployed plumber joined the Royal Engineers, and was immediately given a test—i.e., the making of a joint for a lead pipe. The senior N.C.O. sent a written report of the test to the C.O., which read: "Joint very well done."

Next day the man was appointed to the Officers' Mess